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ULSTER TO STAND ALOOF FROM IRISH FREE STATE; DEVALERA AND PEACE ENVOYS CLASH IN THE DAIL

TO RUSH TROOPS TO KANSAS COAL FIELDS

PITTSBURG, KANSAS, December 14.—Three companies of the Kansas National Guard are being mobilized for entrainment to Pittsburg for duty in the coal fields. Orders for the mobilization of the companies followed a call from Sheriff Gould to the governor this morning.

Sheriff Gould was besieged by miners who wanted to work and who sought protection from the hordes of women relatives and friends of striking coal miners who for two days have overwhelmed workers and peace officers about mine shafts, preventing men from going into the mines and beating some miners. The sheriff himself was pummelled with bread and butter yesterday.

The women again were active this morning. More than 1,000 of them marched up to mine No. 49 of the Central Coal & Coke Co. Except for beating one man, there was little violence, however. The string of motor cars bearing the women to the mine shaft was more than a mile long.

Sheriff Gould was at the 49 mine, but with his small force of deputies was powerless.

The three national guard companies to be sent to Pittsburg will total about four hundred men.

The mines of the Sheridan Company at Mulberry, did not work today. These mines had been selected for attack today by the women marchers. The whistles did not blow for woark last night.

PITTSBURG, KANSAS, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Following insistent reports that a mob of women marchers was headed toward Pittsburg and that the seizure of Van A. Bittner, representative of the international miners' union here, was planned, a squad of former service men was hastily formed for duty at a hotel which is headquarters for Bittner. In the lobby was a stack of rifles.

PITTSBURG, KANSAS, Dec. 14—While the state military authorities were mobilizing companies of the national guard for entrainment to Pittsburg today, the militant women of the Kansas mining field, adherents of Alexander Howat, were engaged in the most ambitious campaign they had so far attempted in their program of stopping, by violent activities, the operation of coal mines by men who responded to the call of the international union for men to man the mines.

TOPEKA, KANSAS, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Notices were sent today to all national guard organizations in the state comprising about 2,000 men, to put themselves in readiness to entrain for the Pittsburg coal fields. Colonel Milton R. McLain, in charge of the adjutant general's office during the absence of Adjutant General Charles I. Martin, said orders will go out today for a movement of five or six companies to the coal fields. No order for movement had yet been issued, Colonel McLain said at 9:00 a. m.

TREATY RATIFIED

BUDAPEST—The treaty of peace between U. S. and Hungary was ratified by the national assembly.

FIRE DESTROYS STORES

CAMDEN, N. J., December 14.—Seven stores in South Camden were damaged by fire early today, causing a loss estimated at $175,000.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

Well, Country Girls, What Say You To This?

City girls are prettier than country girls — at least they think so in England. A London paper conducted a contest to determine whether city or country girls are more beautiful and the readers chose the two above. Miss Violet Hunter, left, of Lancaster, won first prize while Miss A. L. Pardon, of Aberdeen, took second prize.

PLEADS EIGHT YEARS OF SUFFERING AS CAUSE FOR KILLING PHYSICIAN

NEW YORK, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Pleading eight years of suffering as her justification, Mrs. Charles S. Raizen today faced arraignment in Brooklyn court on charges of killing Dr. Abraham Glickstein, aged 48, in his Bedford avenue office last Saturday.

Surrendered to the police by lawyers representing her father and husband last night, Mrs. Raizen, who is 29 years old, and the wife of a toy manufacturer, to whom she was married last May, told her story to District Attorney Harry Lewis.

With dry eyes and an air of self-control superior to that of any of her auditors, she revealed the secrets of a life which she said had been made nearly unbearable by the physician, whose life she had ended with a bullet.

She had known Glickstein, she said, most of her life. He was her family's general practitioner, in the lower east side of Manhattan, where she, then Lillian Schaffer, and her parents, as well as Glickstein, lived. He had her implicit trust, she told the district attorney, and exercised a strange, but powerful, influence over her—a sort of magnetic influence, as she described it.

Mrs. Raizen said she struggled in vain to break the hold the physician had on her life. A year ago she thought she had succeeded. The relationship, which she said had always been against her will, ended about a year ago and she thought she was free.

Then on the eve of her marriage to Raizen, she said, Glickstein renewed his advances and attacked her in the office where on Saturday, with the memory of her injuries torturing her, she ended his life.

She escaped that time, she, went ahead with her trousseau, and in May was Married. On her honeymoon, she confessed all to her husband, and he tried to console her, told her to try and forget it.

But to forget, she declared, was impossible. The shadowed past became a violent, tormenting obession that undermined her health. Finally, on the advice of another physician, she went to Florida and in Jacksonville, still unable to find peace, she bought the fatal pistol. Then she came north, sought out the object of her fears and shot him through the heart.

Leaving the house in which Glickstein was dying, she took a train to Manhattan, called her father on the telephone and told him what she had done.

The recital ended, Mrs. Raizen left the district attorney's office with two policemen, who took her to a police station, where she was formally booked on a homicide charge and where she spent the night.

Before the arraignment, Aaron W. Levy, one of the two attorneys who accompanied her to the prosecutor's office last night, indicated that the defense would be based upon the contention that she was mentally unbalanced.

P. O. ROBBERY

FINDLAY—Burglars broke open a safe at a postal sub-station and took $250 worth of stamps and war savings stamps.

What Makes The Hot Dog Wild Is Out

NEW YORK, December 14—(By the Associated Press)—The secret of what makes the hot dog wild is out.

New York's frankfurter taste always has been strong, but recently police on duty at Madison Square Garden during the six day bicycle race were unable to understand why certain venders had no trouble in disposing of their entire kennels at 30 cents a dog, without even serving the conventional mustard.

The authorities were considering some means of stamping out this profiteering, when one blue coat purchased a hound and punctured it. Pure moonshine!

Now the coppers are casting a mean eye at eevry hot dog in town.

Says Canned Goods Prices At The Botton

CINCINNATI, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Arthur Hamilton, of Lebanon, vice president of the Ohio Canners' Association, declared prices of all canned goods are at rock bottom prices and urged all housewives to lay in supplies now in an address at the convention of the association here today.

"Now is the time for housewives to put in a supply of corn, peas, tomatoes and other canned products, because they are at the rock bottom price, the supply is below normal and the prices unquestionably will go higher," said Hamilton. "The wise housewife will order canned goods from her grocer by the case and thus get them cheaper."

The convention will close this afternoon with the election of officers and the selection of a meeting place for next year.

Question Of Special Session To Be Decided

CLEVELAND, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Whether the state legislature will be called into special session by Governor Harry L. Davis, depends on a meeting here today of a joint legislative sub-committee on taxation to tary to find a tax reform measure. Governor Davis is said to have promised the committee if a feasible proposal is submitted, he will call the extra session.

The sub-committee is composed of Senators Whittemore, Kryder and Rowe, and Representatives Graham, Taft and Fouts.

One proposal which is said to be attractive to the committee is the constitutional amendment that went to the Ohio electorate in 1909 and was defeated. It provides for classification, and according to some reports may be combined with the report made a year ago by Governor Davis' citizens' committee recommending, besides classification an eighteen mill limit for municipalities and a fifteen mill for rural districts.

Some form of proposed amendment to the state constitution embodying classification is forecast.

Farm Hand Gets Big Sum From Oil Lands

FRANKLIN, KY., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—James Poteet, of Simpson county, Kentucky, is a dollar a day farm hand, yet his income is $51 a day. Land that he paid $10 for several years ago, now is yielding oil that brings his daily income to what it takes him 50 days to earn on a farm. But Poteet keeps on working for a dollar a day, board and lodging. He deposits the royalty checks and lives on the dollar he earns. He is married and has two children.

Some years ago Poteet was working for H. L. Davis on his Simpson county farm. Mr. Davis had a 64 tract of poor land that he wanted to sell.

Poteet gave him $10 for for it and kept on working for Mr. Davis. Recently oil prospectors invaded Simpson county and leased all the property they could and Poteet's land was included. Drilling was begun in due time and two wells soon were completed. A third well is expected to be brought in within a day or two. The one-eighth royalty from the production of these wells nets Poteet the $50 a day.

It is reported that Poteet has never inspected either of the wells, although his property adjoins that of the man for whom he is now working.

MUST GO TO TRIAL

CINCINNATI, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—In criminal court today Judge John A. Caldwell overruled a motion for the dismissal of E. W. Clark, former Hamilton policeman on trial on the charge of murder in the first degree which was made by the defendant's counsel on the ground that the state had not produced a case against him. It then was announced that the defense would be an alibi based on the claim that Clark was in Hamilton on August 8, the day on which Mathias Schuler, a driver of an alcohol truck, was shot and killed during an attempted hold-up of the truck near Cleves.

CHINA OFFERS TO BUY KIAO CHOW RAILROAD

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The counter proposal of China for the purchase from Japan of the Kiao-Chow Tsinanfu railroad in Shantung province has been cabled to Tokio by the Japanese arms conference delegation, which has been carrying on direct conversations with the Chinese delegates in an effort to settle the Shantung problem outside the conference.

The Japanese are said to have considered it necessary to receive instructions from home on this matter which is deemed the most important in the negotiations.

China is understood to be ready to furnish bonds as security for the payment, but the Japanese are said to feel that some security further than bonds should be given.

The consultation with Tokio may delay definite action on the railroad subject for a few days. The conversations have offered the unusual spectacle of two Oriental countries holding their entire negotiations, which are replete with technical details, in the English language, with American and British representatives sitting in as observers. The adoption of the English tongue, it is believed, will serve to prevent misunderstanding because differences have arisen in the past between Japan and China as a result of a disagreement between them over the proper interpretation of the Chinese and Japanese texts of a given document or statement.

France Willing Temporarily To Forego Cash Payments Of Reparation From Germany

PARIS, Dec. 14—(By the Associated Press)—France is willing temporarily to forego cash reparation payments from Germany, a high official in the French foreign office today told the Associated Press.

This official said there was general recognition by the press and in French officialdom that Germany must be aided and possibly compelled, in settling her financial house in order if future indemnity payments were to be forthcoming.

TROTZKY LETS OUT NEW WAR WHOOP

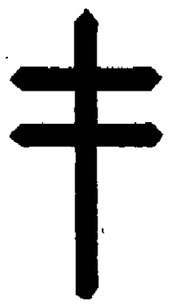
MOSCOW, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—War-like appeals have been issued to the Russian Bolshevik army and navy by Leon Trotzky, minister of war and marine. These appeals, sent out by wireless, demand increased preparedness for hostile action, and declare that Japan "hoping to strengthen her Siberian position at the Washington conference," has launched an attack against the Far Eastern republic.

"Attempts to gain the world's confidence by promises to recognize the debts of the imperial regime," he argues, "are futile, and grand trade concessions are useless, if attacks on Russia continue with the aid of French and Japanese arms and gold."

Complaint of "repeated and treacherous attacks" along the Polish Rumanian and Finnish frontiers is made by the minister, who adds these have been committed "while hypocritical speeches about disarmament were being made by capitalistic diplomats at Washington."

"The Bolshevik army," he declared, "must double its efforts so that it may be in readiness to defend Russian independence. The industry of the whole country must not slacken, but come to the aid of the army."

K. C. Fighting T. B.



THE war against tuberculosis in this country received a tremendous impetus when the Knights of Columbus in national convention in San Francisco last summer launched a practical program for combating this disease.

This program calls for a continuous campaign of education, care of children, care of adults, and after care and follow-up work. It is in line with the general program of the anti-tuberculosis forces of the country, and is expected to be an invaluable aid to the established organizations now performing anti-tuberculosis work. Emphasis is placed on child health, one important feature being the adoption in the schools of a system of health education which has for its purpose the formation of good health habits. Christmas Seals go to support this school health crusade, designed to drive the tuberle bacillus from his entrenchments in the human child. Knights of Columbus everywhere are backing this cause with their moral and financial support.

AGREE ON PRINCIPAL ISSUES IN NAVAL CUT

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Agreement on the principal issues involved in limitation of naval armament was understood to be practically at hand as the "big three" of the Washington conference went into session late today at the state department.

The American delegates, it was said officially, had agreed to the Japanese reservation for substitution of the new battleship Mutsu for the old twelve-inch gun ship Setsu on condition that the United States be permitted under the limitation proposal to retain the newer battleships Colorado and Washington in place of the Delaware and North Dakota.

The final detail remaining to be arranged, it was added, was the modification desired by Great Britain in the armament limitation program to balance against substitution by Japan of the Mutsu and by the United States of the two newer ships. This detail was expected to be arranged at today's meeting.

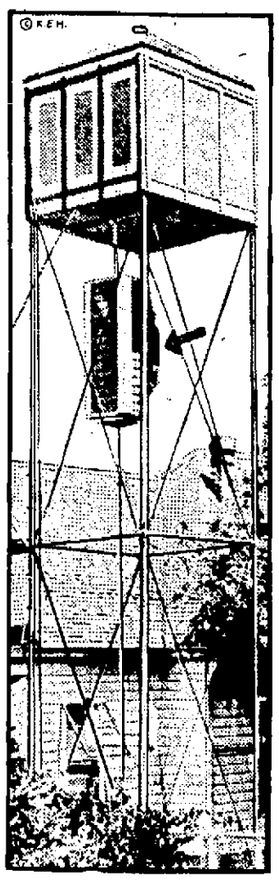
The limitation program, as finally evolved, it was stated, will provide for a condition of status quo as to Pacific fortifications, the agreement leaving Hawaii, the island of Japan, Australia and New Zealand free from the provision.

American acceptance of the Japanese substitution of the Mutsu was agreed to virtually at a conference between Secretary Hughes and the American naval advisers, following yesterday's meeting of "big three." Completion of the agreement on the part of the American delegation was accomplished today.

Bonds May Delay Bonus

COLUMBUS, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Sinking fund trustees handling the soldiers' bonus were surprised to learn today that it may require from four to six weeks to have bonds printed and delivered. They had anticipated that only a few days would be required by lithographing concerns to do the work. With this information, the trustees have decided to bend their efforts toward immediate decision as to the amount of bonds to be offered at first and rate of interest to be paid in order that work of printing the bonds may be started as soon as possible.

High Bedroom



A. Winters, of California, likes to sleep above the dust and the dampness and the heat of the earth's surface. So he has built this bedroom on a steel tower 49 feet above the ground. He ascends in a small electric elevator. Arrow shows him "going up."

POLITICAL UPSET IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Dec. 14—The election as mayor yesterday of James M. Curley, who was defeated for re-election four years ago, was discussed today as one of the greatest political upsets in the city's history. Opposed by all Boston newspapers except one, and without assistance from any recognized leader, Curley gained a plurality of 2,608 votes over John R. Murphy, the candidate of the Good Government Association.

Although the election was among the closest in the history of the city and was marked with extreme campaign bitterness, there were no disturbances.

$20,000,000 Relief Fund For Russia

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—An appropriation of $20,000,000 would be available for the purchase of grain and other food products for distribution in the famine districts of Russia under a bill favorably reported today by the house foreign affairs committee.

Parliament Of England Takes Up The Peace Terms

LONDON, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Ulster's intention to stand aloof from the Irish free state, provided for in the treaty between Great Britain and Southern Ireland, was expressed in a letter being sent to Prime Minister Lloyd George today from Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, according to a Belfast dispatch to the Evening Standard.

LONDON, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—While ratification of the peace treaty between Great Britain and Ireland was being urged by speakers in the house of commons this afternoon, Prime Minister Lloyd George entered the house and was received with a storm of cheers. He was cheered again as he arose to speak on the agreement. No agreement ever concluded between two peoples had received so universal a welcome, he declared.

DUBLIN, Dec. 14—(By the Associated Press)—The question of ratification or rejection of the Anglo-Irish agreement by the Dail Eireann has been postponed until Thursday, when a public session will be held and the deputies will debate the matter and come to a decision. This was decided upon at today's meeting of the Dail, called to consider the agreement.

Meanwhile, the Dail in secret session was this afternoon discussing the dispute between the delegates to the London conference who were the signers of the agreement, and Eamon DeValera, the republican president, and his adherents on this issue as to whether the delegates had the power to conclude the agreement.

In the public session of the Dail today—public so far as the press and a few selected persons were concerned—this point was raised by Mr. DeValera. It developed the acute difference existing between the republican president on the one side and Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins, the leaders of the plenipotentiaries, on the other. In the argument during the hour's session, Mr. DeValera asserted the delegates had not obeyed the instructions of the cabinet—a charge which both Collins and Griffith resented.

It was a question whether the delegates had failed to report to the cabinet before signing the agreement. Mr. DeValera insisted this was an important point, but Mr. Griffith claimed it was not a material one, for while he and colleagues had power to sign an agreement they had no authority to conclude one. The representatives, he pointed out, as they had each to refer the treaty to their respective legislatuers fo ratification.

This question was to form the subject for the secret session but it appeared from remarks that were dropped that certain of the deputies desired to learn something about the Sinn Fein's financial and military ability to resume warfare before casting their votes and they asked for reports in private on these points.

One of the tensest moments of the debate was when Michael Collins declared emotionally:

"I have been called a traitor. Let the Irish people decide whether I am or not."

The only sign of hostility in the vicinity of University College, where today's meeting was held, was a Sinn Fein flag draped with crepe, which some one had hoisted on a telephone pole in front of the college.

DUBLIN, Dec. 14—(By the Associated Press)—The Dail Eireann met in public session today for consideration

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King Hopes Strife Of Centuries May Be Ended

LONDON, December 14.—(By the Associated Press) — Opening the special session of parliament called to consider the Irish peace settlement, King George said in his speech from the throne today, "It is my earnest hope that by the articles of agreement now submitted to you the strife of centuries may be ended."

The text of the king's speech was as follows:

"My Lords and Members of the House of Commons:

"I have summoned you to meet at this unusual time in order that the articles of agreement which have been signed by my ministers and the Irish delegation can at once be submitted for your approval. No other business will be brought before you at the present session.

"It was with heartfelt joy that I learned of the agreement, reached after negotiations protracted many months, and affecting not only the welfare of Ireland but of the British and Irish races throughout the world. It is my earnest hope that by the articles of agreement now submitted to you the strife of centuries may be ended and that Ireland, as a free partner in the commonwealth of nations, forming the British empire, will secure fulfillment of her national ideals."

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

This raw, cold weather is nearest thing to gemine seasou's brand that can be persuaded to come down into this neck o' th' woods, but it gives a lot of the fair sex the opportunity to wear some thin clothes. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Cloudy tonight. Colder in extreme southwest portion. Thursday generally fair.

KENTUCKY—Fair and somewhat colder tonight and Thursday.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 43; low, 32.

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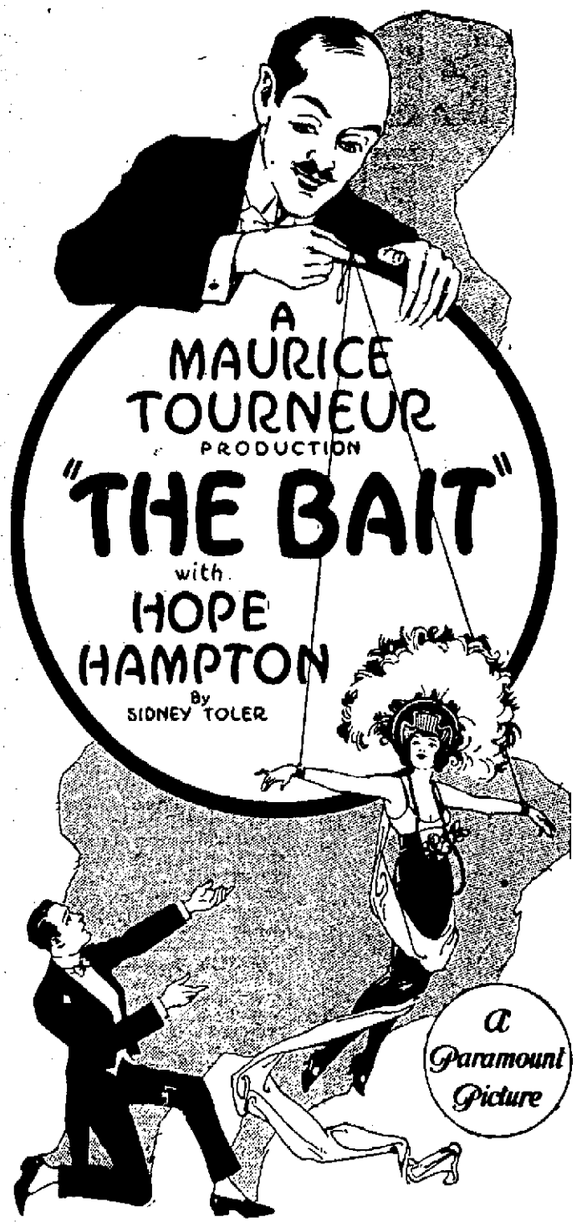

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Holland Will Case Settled

The Chillicothe Gazette of local interest Monday said:

Parturiunt montes nascetur ridiculus mus.

"The mountains went into labor and brought forth a mouse."

Thus did the "big legal battle," the sums of which were to begin reverberating Monday in the common pleas court room when the Holland will case came up for hearing, shrunken down to a fifteen-minute perfunctory hearing and the "puff" it was all over.

It was formally announced, when the jury took seats, that an "amicable adjustment" had been arranged "satisfactory to all parties."

This announcement was made in a short address to the jury by Attorney A. P. Minshall, of counsel for the defense. He followed this announcement by reading the will and the order of probate.

No other evidence being offered Judge Blosser charged the jury to bring in a verdict for the defense and sustaining the validity of the will, which the jury quickly did.

The terms of the outside settlement were not made public. It is understood that a certain sum of money is to be given to the two persons contesting the will, namely George Holland, the 80-year-old brother of the testator, Herbert E. Holland, and Frank Childs, husband of Helen C. Childs, sister of Herbert Holland, Mrs. Childs having died since she and George Holland began suit to break the will.

George Holland is now an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Dayton, his aged wife residing in Portsmouth.

Shops Will Close Until January 1

HUNTINGTON, Dec. 4. Because of business depression which has thrown fifty per cent of the rolling stock of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad out of use, the local shops of the road will be closed down Saturday afternoon. Twenty-five hundred employes will be laid off for a period expected to last until the first of the year. Assistant General Superintendent W. S. Butler, when asked concerning the shutdown, said that the road officials expected to re-open the shops January 1.

Take your life insurance and endowments from P. W. Kilcoyne.
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River News

The Ohio river continues to drop back steadily in the Portsmouth district and Wednesday morning a stage of 14.5 feet was registered here.

Boat movement were the Chris Green down at 6 a. m. and the General Wood passed up bound for Pittsburg at 8 a. m. The Tacoma went by this afternoon enroute to Charleston.

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Elect Officers

Barden Post No. 502, G. A. R., at a recent meeting elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: A. B. McBride, commander; William Burnett, senior vice commander; Thomas Matheny, junior vice commander; T. B. McBride, treasurer; J. N. Kates, adjutant; James Miller, guard. J. N. Kates was elected delegate to the 1922 state encampment.

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Brother Dies

WACO, TEX., Dec. 14—Lloyd Speaker, of Hubbard, Texas, brother of Tris Speaker, manager of the Cleveland Indians, died yesterday at his home. Death came after a two weeks' illness. Tris was a constant bedside attendant.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Rev. W. U. Penn for his consoling words, the choir and undertaker for their services, and our many friends and relatives for the kindness and sympathy shown us following the sudden death of our beloved wife, mother, daughter and sister. It meant much to us and was sincerely appreciated.

MR. GROVER MUSTARD
AND CHILDREN.
Father, mother, brothers and sisters.

Twenty Four Years Ago

At a meeting of the deacons of the East End Free Will Baptist church Wednesday evening it was voted to call Rev. Jacob Emrick, of Waverly, to hold a protracted meeting, beginning the third Sunday in January. The term of the present pastor has expired and the pulpit was declared vacant at the deacons' meeting Wednesday. A new pastor will not be elected until after the protracted meeting closes.

Miss Lelia Homer, of East Fourth street, entertained last evening in honor of her friend, Robert Thompson, of the Lexington State college. Those from abroad were Miss Selma Herms, of Columbus; Miss Elizabeth Stalder, of Findlay; Mr. Wert Stalder and Miss Ella Macoy. Miss Mayme Brandel rendered some beautiful piano music which was greatly enjoyed by the crowd. She well deserves the credit given her music, for she is one of the best musicians in this state.

There was "a hot time in the old town" when a wee small mouse sauntered into the department of the vest makers at Sunford, Varner and company's. There was no need to say to the girls, "Please rise." They rose to a man—no, to a girl. In about one minute and four seconds they were perched on the window sills, chandeliers and elsewhere out of harm's way. Did they scream? Oh, no, there was only one scream, and that was a partnership affair, in which all joined, and it lasted till the mouse deliberately walked into a trap and committed suicide to prove it was harmless.

Members of the Blaine Club organized a marching contingent to be known as the "Foraker Phalanx", and composed of fifty persons. F. M. Pride was elected captain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barklow, who came to attend the funeral of his mother, returned to their home in New York.

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17 Daily	ex. Sun.	7:07 A. M.	7:37 A. M.
3 Daily	....	1:45 P. M.	*2:15 P. M.
7 Daily	....	2:12 P. M.	2:41 P. M.
101 Daily	....	10:30 P. M.	10:55 P. M.

EAST BOUND

8 Daily	....	11:10 A. M.	11:40 A. M.
2 Daily	....	2:05 P. M.	2:35 P. M.
16 Daily	ex. Sun.	2:22 P. M.	2:52 P. M.
106 Daily	....	10:20 P. M.	10:50 P. M.
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Renders Decision In Famous Church Case

The old, or United Baptist organization, will remain in charge of the little church at Hoffer Hill by virtue of a finding made by Judge Will P. Stephenson at the conclusion of the hearing in the injunction case of John Ross and others against Daniel Hoffer and others in Common Pleas court late Monday afternoon.

In his finding the court said that the plaintiffs were entitled to the relief sought and in making the injunction permanent barred the defendants or Union church organization from further invasion or interference with the United church organization in its possession of the church building.

The trial consumed practically the entire day and at times the proceedings were rather spirited, being marked by numerous sharp clashes between the opposing attorneys. Judge Blair and W. L. Hostetter for the plaintiff and T. C. Beatty, George W. Sheppard and E. G. Millar for the defense.

It was admitted at the outset of the hearing that the title to the land was with the plaintiffs, but the defense claimed it had a right to the building by reason that it was constructed with funds raised under a "Union" arrangement and the original subscription lists of the donors were offered in evidence in support of the claim. It was also contended that the church was erected in 1920 after the United Baptist organization had fallen down and ceased to function and that the plaintiffs consented and assisted in the building of the new church. This was strenuously denied and the plaintiffs in addition asserted that they objected and protested at the time the movement was made to reorganize the church and change the name from "United" to "Union."

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New Home Of Pleasant Green Baptist Church

RAISE $600 TO HELP FINANCE THIS NEW CHURCH

Members of Pleasant Green Baptist church had a fine rally Sunday, raising $600.00 towards the new church, which has been started at Fifteenth and Waller streets.

The foundation will be completed this week by the contractor, and much to the delight of the congregation, there is not a debt of a penny against it.

In three years, without much effort, except a system of saving by the members, we have raised over $6,000.00, aside from current expenses, which is evidence of the desire to have a building commensurate with the time. When the full membership of over 100 become active during this winter, we hope to have sufficient funds to complete the handsome church house within the coming year. We are not going to do any more than complete the foundation this winter and let it settle until spring when we will lay the corner-stone and proceed with the superstructure. The accompanying cut is a likeness of the new structure.

REV. B. R. REED, pastor.
WM. E. HALEY,
Chairman Building Committee.

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New Government Steamers Pass Down

All spic and span two new government steamers, "Memphis," and "Baton Rouge," which were built at the Point Pleasant works passed down the beautiful Ohio Wednesday morning on their first "cruise." The steamers, constructed of steel, are beauties and attracted much attention as they glided by the city. The boats are being taken south to be put in freight service on the lower Mississippi trade.

Peerless Elects New Officers

William Culbertson was elected Chancellor Commander to head Peerless Lodge Knights of Pythias for 1922 at Tuesday night's meeting. At the conclusion of the business meeting wives of members served a fine lunch after which the retiring Chancellor Joseph Ross handed out cigars. The members also discussed plans for a Christmas entertainment for families of members to be held Dec. 27 in the lodge hall.

The election resulted as follows: Joseph B. Ross, Past Chancellor; William Culbertson, Chancellor Commander; Lawrence Carter, Vice Chancellor; F. A. Leate, Prelate; William Moore, Master-at-Arms; Theodore Bauer, Master of Work; Virgil Rose, Keeper of Records and Seal; Floyd Lawson, Master of Exchequer; E. N. Brady, Master of Finance; Everett Lyon, Inner Guard; E. J. Kanouse, Grand Lodge representative; Arthur Fields, Alternate; Joseph Ross, Trustee for three years; E. J. Kanouse, Trustee for one year.

Locates Here

The Irontonian this morning said:

Many Ironton friends will learn with regret that Mr. and Mrs. W. Kelly are to leave Ironton to make their home in Portsmouth.

Mr. Kelly is to be employed in the local Solvay plant.

HENS LAY 104 EGGS A WEEK INSTEAD OF 5

Steady Egg Gain for Mrs. Pierce in Cold Winter Weather.

"The week before we tried Don Sung, we got 5 eggs from 50 hens. The next week, from a package of Don Sung, we got 72 eggs and the next week 104. Some of our hens are mere pullets and Don Sung started them laying."—Mrs. E. F. Pierce, Butler, Tenn. Mrs. Pierce started using Don Sung in the middle of January. Yet she got the eggs. Your flock can lay as well in cold weather, and we'll prove it:

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Don Sung can be obtained promptly from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer, or send 50c for a package by mail prepaid. Burrell-Dugger Co., 214 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

To Inspect Lodge

IRONTON, Dec. 14—District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Frollman of Columbus, will be in Ironton next Monday night and every member of Ironton Lodge No. 177 is urged to be present at the meeting in order that the lodge may pass a creditable inspection.

Rheumatism Can Be Treated At Home

No change of climate is necessary in treating rheumatism with Mrs. Summers' popular home method, Chronicure. Sufferers from rheumatism, lumbago and neuralgic pains report speedy relief from these tortures after trying Chronicure, which aids nature in cleansing and toning up the system. Ask your druggist, or send for FREE TRIAL of Mrs. Summers' Chronicure, with useful information, by addressing The Summers Medical Co., Box R, South Bend, Ind.

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DARK BLUE STEEL LARGE SIZE FOR	$2.95
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WHITE ENAMELED LARGE SIZE FOR	$4.20
ALUMINUM MEDIUM SIZE FOR	$6.65
ALUMINUM LARGE SIZE FOR	$8.05

OVAL SHAPE, DUE TO ITS DESIGN THESE ROASTERS HOLD A LARGE ROAST OR TURKEY, AND FIT A SMALL OVEN. SELF BASTING AND SELF BROWNING. BOTTOM AND JACKET 1-PIECE, BOTTOM BEING ELEVATED DOES NOT TOUCH THE STOVE. THIS GUARDS AGAINST BURNING. HOLLOW STEEL HANDLES ON BODY AND COVER. THOROUGHLY SANITARY: INSIDE SMOOTH AS GLASS. ENTIRE ABSENCE OF CRACKS OR SEAMS MAKES THIS ROASTER EASY TO KEEP CLEAN. A COPY OF SAVORY PRICE RECIPE BOOK FREE WITH EACH ROASTER.

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It don't take many yards and compared with a year ago your dollar will buy twice the yardage. So you can combine a gift item with economy and please both your pocketbook, yourself and the person you give the dress pattern to.

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A fine woven material that is well adapted to make a nice dress for ordinary use.
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30 inches wide in a splendid array of neat patterns for children as well as grown-ups.
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50 INCH ENGLISH SERGE
You will admire this quality at this low price. It's even woven and will give excellent service.
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Fancy and plain Velours, stripes, checks and plaids, 50 to 56 inches wide. A large collection of stylish fabrics that you would want for skirts, suits or coats for children.
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Don't Miss This Big Sensational Feature

REMEMBER---- This is one of those splendid 'De Mille" Paramount Specials like "Forbidden Fruit" and "Why Change Your Wife?"

Yes, The Sheriff Has Plenty To Do

Sheriff E. E. Rickey took his three years ago he estimated how many books he would need for his records for two terms. He has another year to serve books, except the jail record book, have been used up. "This indicates clearly how the business in the sheriff's office is increasing every year," Sheriff Rickey said last night. "Half of our time is taken up in serving divorce papers and keeping a record of them.'

Letter Tells Why Kauff Is Barred

YORK, Dec. 14- In answer to instituted in the Supreme Benny Kauff, seeking reinstatement Judge K. M. Landis, his attorney, John Conway yesterday made public his replacing the former New York officer on the ineligible list. commissioner of baseball said he had read the testimony on which Kauff had been found not guilty of stealing automobiles, but that "the evidence disclosed a state of affairs that more than seriously compromises your character and reputation."

"The reasonable and necessary result of this is that your mere presence in the lineup would inevitably burden patrons of the game with grave apprehensions as to its integrity," Landis continued.

These statements were made in a letter written to Kauff on Aug. 25 and which was presented as an exhibit.

In answer to the suit Landis said, Kauff could not be restored to good standing without impairing the morale of other players, and without further injury to the good name of professional baseball.

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Wallace To Address Grange

CINCINNATI, Dec 14—Consideration of reports of committees and the conferring of the fifth degree by Butler county Pomona Grange degree team occupied the second day's session of the annual convention of the Ohio State Grange today.

Henry C. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, will arrive from Washington and address the delegates at 6:45 o'clock tonight, leaving immediately after his speech. Later in the evening the sixth degree will be conferred.

CASE IN HANDS OF JURY

CLEVELAND, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press.) The jurors trying Dominic Benigno for the murder of W. C. Sly in a pay roll hold-up a year ago, continued deliberating today after failing to reach a verdict yesterday and spending the night in a hotel.

It is Benigno's third trial on the charge.

POULTRY AWARDS MADE; WINNERS

Yesterday was a busy day at the Portsmouth Poultry and Pet Stock Association, the judging of the birds on display taking up most of the time. M. M. Barger, who was secured to judge the poultry passed many favorable comments in awarding the red and blue ribbons. He awarded the grand prizes to H. O. Newman, of Second street, for the male bird, and to John Goodman of Scioto Trail, for the female.

With better weather, there were larger crowds yesterday than on the previous day, and the attendance and interest is expected to increase during the remainder of the week.

The complete list of awards as announced by Secretary R. H. Barrett is as follows:

Grand Prizes

To be rewarded with the loving cups presented by the Portsmouth Daily Times and Morning Sun:
Male bird—H. O. Newman.
Female—John Goodman.

Buff Leghorn

First prize, cock—John Stir.
Second prize, cock—Orla Daniels.
Third prize, cock—A. C. Wilson.
First, hen—J. W. Stir.
First cockrel—Claude Brown.
Second, cockrel—J. W. Stir.
Third, cockrel—A. C. Wilson.
First, pullet—J. W. Stir.
Second, pullet—A. C. Wilson.
Third Pullet—A. C. Wilson.
First young pen—J. W. Stir.
Second, young pen—A. C. Wilson.
Third, young pen—Orla Daniels.

Brown Leghorn, Dark

First, cock—William Creekbaum.
First, hen—William Creekbaum.
Second hen—William Creenbaum.
Third, hen—William Creekbaum.
First, old pen—William Creekbaum.
Second, cock—H. A. Nutt.
First, cockrel—Charles Held.
First, pullet—Frank Mantel.
Second, pullet—Frank Mantel.
Third, pullet—Charles Held.
First, young pen—Charles Held.

White Leghorn

First, cock—Walter Malone.
Second, cock—John Goodman.
Third, cock—Warner Clark.
First, hen—John Goodman.
Second, hen—Walter Malone.
Third, hen—John Goodman.
First, old pen—Walter Malone.
Second, old pen—John Goodman.
First, cockrel—H. O. Newman.
Second, cockrel, H. O. Newman.
Third, cockrel—H. O. Newman.
First, pullet, H. O. Newman.
Second, pullet—H. O. Newman.
Third, pullet—H. O. Newman.
First, young pen—H. O. Newman.
Second, young pen—H. O. Newman.
Third, young pen—Earl Reinfrank.

Anconas

First, cock—William Cline.
Second, cock—Andy Spence.
Third cock—Frank W. Sheridan.
First, hen—Frank W. Sheridan.
Second, hen—William Cline.
Third, hen—William Cline.
First, old pen—William Cline.
Second, old pen—F. W. Sheridan.
Third, old pen—Andy Spence.
First, cockrel—Warner Clark.
Second, cockrel—William Cline.
Third cockrel—R. H. Barrett.
First, pullet—R. H. Barrett.
Second pullet—R. H. Barrett.
Third, pullet—Warner Clark.
First, young pen—R. H. Barrett.
Second, young pen—Warner Clark.
Third, young pen—William Cline.

Black Minorcas

First, cock—Ben Daniels.
First, hen—Ben Daniels.
Second, hen—Ben Daniels.
Third, hen—Ben Daniels.
First, old pen—Ben Daniels.

White Orpington

First, cock—James Lynn.
Second, cock—James Lynn.
First, hen—James Lynn.
Second, hen—James Lynn.
Third hen—James Lynn.
First cockrel—James Lynn.
Second, cockrel—James Lynn.
First, pullet—James Lynn.
Second, pullet—James Lynn.
Third pullet—James Lynn.

White Wyandotts

First, cockrel—R. H. Barrett.
First, pullet—R. H. Barrett.
Second pullet—R. H. Barrett.
Third, pullet—R. H. Barrett.
First, young pen—R. H. Barrett.

White Plymouth Rocks

First, cockrel—William Mantel.
Second cockrel—W. H. C. Thompson.
First, pullet—William Mantel.
Second, pullet—W. H. C. Thompson.
Third, pullet—William Mantel.

Columbian Rocks

First, cockrel—W. K. Burke.
First, pullet—W. K. Burke.
Second, pullet—W. K. Burke.
Third, pullet—W. K. Burke.
First, young pen—W. K. Burke.

Barred Rocks

First, cockrel—W. K. Burke.
First, pullet—W. K. Burke.
Second, pullet—W. K. Burke.
Third, pullet—W. K. Burke.
First, young pen—W. K. Burke.

Black Langshan

First, Cock—Don Davis.
First, hen—Don Davis.
Second, hen—Don Davis.
Third, hen—Don Davis.
First, old pen—Don Davis.

Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds

First, cock—H. A. Nutt.
First, hen—H. A. Nutt.

Single Comb Rhode Island Reds

First, cock—H. O. Newman.
Second, cock—Charles H. Davis.
Third, cock—Henry Rau.
First, pullet—H. O. Newman.
Seond, pullet—Henry Rau.
First, cockrel—H. O. Newman.
Second cockrel—H. O. Newman.
Third, cockrel—H. O. Newman.
First, pullet—John Goodman.
Second pullet—H. O. Newman.
Third, pullet—H. O. Newman.
First, young pen—H. O. Newman.
Second, young pen—John Goodman.
Third, young pen—Charles H. Davis.
Columbia Wyandotts, winner—Adolph Harth.

R. M. Keller, secretary of the Pet Stock Division of the show, was called out of the city on business, and will not have the award lists completed until tomorrow. The display of pigeons, rabbits, and cats is very fine indeed, and attracts almost as much interest as the main display of poultry.

As an added feature, Gero, Harry E. Taylor's thoroughbred police dog will be exhibited during the show Thursday night.

The poultry show will continue every day this week, and the hall will be open every afternoon and evening. The admision is fifteen cents for adults and ten cents for children, without additional tax.

Russia now has 67 higher technical institutions, with 39,000 students.

Christmas

Let It Be The Merriest You Have Ever Had

Join our 1922 Christmas Savings Club and provide for your Holiday expenses, or any other expenses you may have next year.

Think how nice it will be to have all the money you will need for gifts and other incidentals next Christmas.

We have a plan to suit your desire.

The first deposit makes you a member and after that the small amounts that usually slip through your fingers unnoticed will keep up the payments.

Just before next Christmas we mail you a check for what you have paid with 3 per cent interest added if your payments are made regularly.

Join now and watch your small deposits grow into a substantial amount.

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Tie-arounds, Tuck-ins and smart over-blouses of high grade crepe de chine and georgettes.

Values were to $7.95

AT $8.95

75 Costume Tunics (the blouse that makes a frock) crepe de chine, satin and georgette.

Values were to $20.00

NOTE--At both prices there are individual styles so that you can go through the lists of your friends and find a Blouse for every type.
All the colors smart women wear.

Special Note: Any Blouse Bought For Gifts, May Be Exchanged AfterChristmas

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Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. All druggists sell Bayer Tablets of Aspirin in handy tin boxes of 12, and in bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

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Open One Week

Ironton merchants have decided to keep their stores open one week before Christmas. They will be closed all day Monday, November 26, which will be observed as Christmas.

One Candidate

One candidate, Frank Smith, was initiated at last night's meeting of the Loyal Order of Moose. Left over business was also cleared up in preparation for the new year.

W. O. W. Election

Albert Bailey has been elected Counsel Commander to head River City Camp, No. 20, Woodmen of the World for next year. Three applications were also received at last night's meeting.

The election of officers resulted in the selection of the following men: Albert Bailey, Counsel Commander; George Vogel, Advisor Lieutenant; J. F. Kuh, Banker; Arthur Boren, Clerk; John Austin, Watchman; J. W. Bailey, Escort; William Duncan, Sentry; O. H. Lewis, Manager. All camp physicians were also reelected.

A Real Game

Saturday afternoon, Dec. 24 is the date set for the game between the Sun-Times basketball five and the Nomads. The game is to be played at four o'clock that afternoon in Wilhelmette hall. Walker, August, McNay, Johnson, Brock, Schusky and Hughes will perform for the Sun-Times.

Sweet Meat Boxes $2.00 to $5.00. Candye 80c lb. Mary Louise Candye Shoppe. Advertisement 14-3t

Pleasing Program

Before an attentive audience the Kappa Sigma Pi boys of Manly church presented a very pleasing program at their meeting last night.

The meeting opened with the Club Hymn, by the Kappas, and this was followed by prayer led by Russell Balsinger. Julius Mitchell delivered the opening address, telling of the purpose of the meeting and the work of K. S. P. Howard Riggs rendered selections on the piano, and his offerings were followed by one of the features of the program, a male quartette, consisting of Russell Balsinger, Garnett Neff, L. G. Bennett and Paul Crabtree.

A short playlet proved very entertaining, and the various members of the cast won much applause for the manner in which they acted their parts, the cast included, Howard Herdman, Edwin Davis, Amos Foor, Eugene Allison.

After the playlet, the following numbers closed the evening's entertainment; selections by a string trio composed of Garnett Neff, Paul Crabtree, and L. G. Bennett; a vocal solo by J. P. Pugh, and an address by Russell Balsinger. Rev. C. W. Brady offered the closing prayer.

The members of the fraternity wish to thank Misses Mary Pugh and Foncella Warman for their services, also Howard Riggs, and the Kappa Sigma Pi's from Trinity church.

After the program had closed, the activities were transferred to the gym where Manly Kappa's defeated a basketball team selected from the fraternity at Trinity, by the score of 20 to 8.

Neff and Roth led in Manly's attack, keeping the Trinity forwards from shooting baskets, and Riggs of that team made the only two goals his team scored. Trinity showed lack of practice in general play.

Manly	Pos.	Trinity
Hemphil	rf	Spence
Mitchell	lf	Lykins
Marsh	c	Carson
Roth	rg	Riggs
Neff	lg	Callihan

Field goals: Mitchell 3, Neff 3, Marsh 1, Riggs 2.

Foul goals: Mitchell 3, Neff 1, Lykins 4.

Ember Days

Today, Friday and Saturday are Ember Days and days of fasting for members of the Catholic faith. They are also days of special devotions in the homes.

To Render Program

Madam Mae Harris, soprano soloist, Mr. June Cole, baritone, and Mrs. R. E. Peteford, accompanist, will appear at Allen Chapel church auditorium, Twelfth and Waller streets, Thursday evening, Dec. 15, at 8:30 o'clock. The musical program to be given is under the auspices of Harmony Lodge Knights of Pythias. Money realized from the musicale will go into the lodge building fund. The lodge expects to start work on a new home in the Spring.

Taken To Hospital

Mrs. Mary Andres, who has been seriously ill at her home on Seventh street, has been moved to Hempstead hospital. She is the mother of Doc Waddell.

Pay Income Tax

Tomorrow, Thursday, December 15, is the last day to pay your third income tax installment. The local office in the postoffice building was crowded today with persons anxious to get this installment off their minds.

Aged Woman Hurt

Mrs. John Hayes, aged 92, and one of the pioneer residents of Ironton suffered a broken leg when she recently fell in her home.

Loss And Damage Conference On In Huntington

The Huntington Herald - Dispatch says:

"With the entire railway system represented, Chesapeake & Ohio officials began their loss and damage conference at the Frederick hotel yesterday and will be in session again today.

"Among the conference speakers are F. W. H. O'Mearn, freight claim agent; F. J. Ginn, superintendent of agencies; H. G. McClausland, Lynchburg, general agent; J. R. Cary, eastern division general superintendent; D. J. Derbyshire, general superintendent C. & O. of Indiana, and D. L. Bock, western division general superintendent.

To Attend Meeting

George D. Selby is in Delaware and Columbus on a business trip. While in Delaware he will attend a meeting of the trustees of O. W. U.

PRACTICAL GIFTS

Give As You Would Like To Receive

It is so easy to give something practical and useful that it is not a waste of money but a reflection of good taste on the part of the giver as well as recipient.

Hose For Men 25c to $1.00 Pair
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A song essentially hers, with swooping curves of tone here, a light cadenza there, with dazzling high soprano notes proceeding in meteoric flight to a brilliant climax. "Comme Autrefois" (As in Former Times) from "Les Pêcheurs de Perles" (Pearl Fishers).

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Interesting Educational Program Is Rendered At Holy Redeemer School

The beginning of American Education Week, December 12-17, was observed with a fine program at the Holy Redeemer school hall last night. A fine program of music and short talks was arranged for the occasion, and the meting was well attended by people who are interested in the movement for better education.

The school children opened the meeting with a number of vocal selections, under the direction of Miss Martha McGuirk. Patriotic songs and drills comprised the program.

Prof. Frank Appel, head of the public schools, gave an inspiring talk on Public Interest In Education. He pointed out the many new fields of endeavor and opportunity that are opening for the young men and women daily, and that there are many educational advantages opening to those who will apply themselves.

N. B. Gilliland, Probate Judge, spoke from the experiences he has gained on the bench. He told of the great responsibility of parents in bringing up their children in the right way while they are yet young. In the course of his remarks, he said that during three years on the bench he had only three Catholic children before him. He praised the parents and the watchful care of the Sisters.

B. J. Craham used the five minutes allotted him to speak on "The Home and Scholar," telling how the two are inseparably linked together, if the student is a success in school.

Vallee Harold, editor of the Times, made a brief talk on "The Press," and told of the relation it bears to education. He told of the things that the daily paper is doing for the world. He said that the meeting should have been one for the observance of Education Week, alone, but for the observing and promulgating of higher and better education for every individual.

Dan W. Conroy spoke briefly on "Commercialism," telling of the greatness of our country in the world of dollars. He called the United States the "World's banker," saying that it lent money to all of the other nations and owed none.

Dr. T. G. McCormick made a short but practical talk on the Value of Athletics. He said that athletics should begin when the child is young, as soon as they are able to understand the meaning of the different exercises that strengthen the various muscles of the body. He also said that the work should be kept up until the high school age, the boy and girl is strong and healthy. Athletics will correct any minor defects in the health of a child.

After a few remarks on the need of athletics, Dr. McCormick told of the plan which is to be put into operation in Holy Redeemer school the first of the year. Every boy and girl in the school will be given a physical examination and the results of the examinations, reported to the parents in order that defects may be remedied. Holy Redeemer is the first school in this section of the state to adopt this plan, that will mean better health for the pupils at the school.

Rev. J. E. McGuirk closed the program of talks with his remarks on Honesty. He said in part, "With all of the money in the world, and all the education and brains that the world possesses there will be little or no success as long as God was left out of the text books and institutions. He said that man was created, little lower than the angels, and that He has spiritual as well as human characteristics and also possesses an immortal soul."

After the addresses were finished the High School Glee Club beautifully rendered, Verdi's "Liberty Chorus" and following the last notes of this wonderful choral number, the audience arose and sang the "Star Spangled Banner."

At the conclusion of the program, the guests were served refreshments by the ladies of the parish.

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Dear Dolly—What are the official colors of the University of Ohio? Has Union Hill, New Jersey a paper? If so, what is the name of it? Dolly, do you know the stamp language?

IGNORANCIA.

Green and white are the colors of Ohio University, at Athens. Union Hill is called the Town of Union. There is a paper there called the Hudson Dispatch, and one called the Hudson Observer. If you write there address your letter like this: Editor Haddon Echo, Hudson Dispatch, Town of Union, New Jersey. I don't know the stamp language.

Dear Dolly—I know a woman who keeps a tall man hid in her house all the time. When the children come home from school she puts him in the back room upstairs. She thinks she is putting one over on the neighbors, but we all see him. What do you think of such a woman?

ONE WHO KNOWS.

If she has been living in your neighborhood very long she ought to know better than to try to put one over on you, 'cause I imagine you are right on the job, morning, noon and night. Maybe you see a shadow or something else that looks like a man.

Dear Miss Wise—I am a minister of the gospel and a pastry cook. I have been married and have three children. My wife is divorced from me and married again. My father-in-law had me arrested and put in jail for nonsupport. What are the laws pertaining the case and what shall I do?

WEST VA. READER.

Your father-in-law probably had you arrested for failing to provide for your children. If their step-father refuses to provide for them, it is up to you to do it. The court usually makes provision for the children when the divorce is granted. If you were ordered to contribute to their support, and did not do it, you cannot blame him forcing you to do it. The best thing for you to do, is to go into court and have the matter settled and then you will know just what is expected of you.

Dear Dolly—Please tell me if the Columbus Dispatch has an agency here or will I have to have my paper sent to me by mail?

JUMPING JACK.

There is an agency here and the paper is also sold at the various newsstands.

Dear Miss Wise—About 14 years ago my husband left me and went to another state and married a woman without obtaining a divorce from me. Not long ago this wife ran away with another man and he came back and thought he would take me again. Dolly do you think it would be wrong for me to live with him again? My children seem to think it would be all right. What do you think about it?

You and your husband and children had better decide this question. If he did not get a divorce from you he is still your lawful husband and the marriage to the other woman would not be valid.

Dear Dolly—Would you be kind enough to tell me through the columns of your paper, where I might secure a Daniels carburetor, I understand they surpass all others, and are excellent in their make up. I further understand they will fit any machine. I have heard of them but never saw one in use. Any information that you might be able to give me will be greatly appreciated.

S. A. C.

Daniels must be a new one on the market as it is not listed in Chilton's Automobile directory.

Dear Dolly—I have a $10.00 U. S. gold coin dated 1907 without the words "In God we trust" on it. Is it worth more than the face value?

TIMES READER.

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¶ *Help make this a better place in which to live—make it safer for the babies—happier and healthier—a Christmas Seal is a mightly little thing to buy but friends, its a big thing when we all dig deep and raise sufficient funds to carry on the great work so well under way and so full of achievement.*

BUY AND USE CHRISTMAS SEALS

SOCIETY

The Epworth League of the Franklin Avenue church met last evening at the home of Mrs. George Pressler, 1732 Highland avenue. The rooms were beautifully decorated with Christmas wreaths and poinsettas. A feature of the meeting was the rendition of a beautiful cantata, "The Littlest Son."

Those taking part in the cantata were Miss Clara Sherman, who read the story; Miss Rose Wendelken, who presided at the piano and the Misses Bertha Griver and Martha Cook, and George Pressler and John Ressinger, who composed the quartet.

Following the cantata a passing party was enjoyed, after which refreshments were served by Mrs. Pressler and the assistant hostesses, Miss Helen Rau, Mis Mae Zinnicker and Mrs. Edna Davies.

The general public is cordially invited to attend Maunder's "Bethlehem" cantata to be rendered by the organist and choir of the Second Presbyterian church Sunday evening at seven o'clock, in the auditorium of the church.

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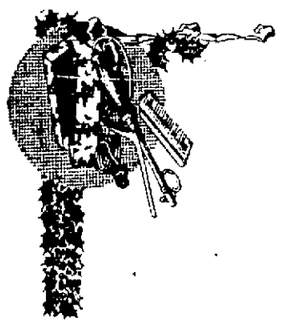

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Forty-five members of the Women's Home Missionary Society of Trinity church met in regular session yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Howard Sellards, 801 Offnere street. A missionary box to Miss Georgia Chabot, teacher at Twin Creek, was packed and will be sent there this week.

The box was filled with wearing apparel, shoes and various articles. This is the second box sent Miss Chabot within the past few weeks. The first being gratefully received, as numerous expressions of appreciation were read at yesterday's meeting from Miss Chabot and a number of her pupils. One of the letters was from a sixteen year old boy, who is receiving his first schooling this year. The missionary work and teaching being done by Miss Chabot are sorely needed in that vicinity.

A social hour followed the regular business session during which time the following interesting little program was rendered: Piano solo, Miss Virginia Ware; Christmas reading, Mrs. George Irvin; Reading, Mrs. W. E. Mann.

Tea was served by the hostess at 5 o'clock, assisted by the following women: Mrs. George Stafen, Mrs. Harry Rapp, Mrs. Albert Graf, Mrs. C. S. Cornute, Mrs. C. H. Wells, Mrs. Ella Jackson, Mrs. Jacob Smith, Mrs. R. E. Scott, Mrs. William Reider and Miss Clara Chick.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John T. Breece on Eighth street.

Seventy members attended the Christmas party given by the Women's Missionary Society of the First Christian church at the home of Mrs. Oscar Robinson, 1730 Fifth street, last night. A large Christmas tree, gaily decorated and loaded with gifts centered the rooms, and following an unusually interesting program, the gifts were distributed among the members.

The program was as follows:

Duet—Marjorie Gerlach and Mrs. Elmer Fetter.

Bible Lesson—Mrs. Charles Oakley.

Two Minute Talks on China—Mrs. Oscar Robinson, Mrs. L. L. Craden, and Mrs. Frank Sheridan.

Solo—Miss Della Puckett.

Conditions of China—Short talks by Mrs. Nell Marlow, Miss Della Puckett and Marjorie Gerlach.

Exercise—Members of the Young Peoples Society: Misses Alben Oakley, Eva Morgan, Stella Prellar and Helen Smith.

Mrs. George Edwards was chairman of the social hour which followed while Mrs. John R. Williams had charge of the program.

The Women's Municipal Club held a social and literary session at the home of Mrs. A. R. Dameron, 1535 Gallia street last night. The program was as follows:

Reading—"The House by the Side of the Road"—Miss Elsie Mann.

Two stanzas from J. Walter Gresham's poem "Let Me Walk With the Men in the Road" Mrs. Tillie Boyer.

Reading "How Did You Die?"—Miss Tillie Bevis.

Reading "Not In Vain"—Mrs. Dameron.

Light refreshments were served at the close of the program and the club adjourned to meet on the evening of January 9th, with Mrs. Tillie Boyer, Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Prior and daughters, the Misses Edith and Margaret have returned from a shopping trip in Cincinnati.

The Every Land Mission Circle of the First Evangelical church will hold a meeting tomorrow evening at seven o'clock. After the meeting a short program will be given. All members are urged to be present. Parents are invited.

Group Fifteen of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Gilbert Monroe, 1128 Offnere street. Mrs. Joseph T. Micklethwait and Mrs. Orpha Hark will be the assistant hostesses. Mrs. E. E. Seig is chairman of this group and she is anxious that all members be present.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Frank Pulsing, 1802 Vinton avenue. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Thomas Burton, Mrs. John Long. The devotionals will be led by Mrs. F. Banfield. Mrs. Charles Robbins will teach the lesson on Japan and Koren from the study book, "The Kingdom and the Nation." Mrs. Charles Newman will give a missionary reading. The ladies having donations for the Hopedale Rescue Home are requested to bring them to this meeting.

Members of the Second Presbyterian church choir are requested to meet for practice immediately after prayer meeting tonight. Those who cannot attend the prayer service are asked to be at the church at 8:15. Rehearsal for the Christmas cantata to be given Sunday evening will be held in connection with the regular choir practice, and Miss Anna Cramer, the organist, is desirous that all singers be present.

Friends of Miss Margaret Lloyd, a former resident of this city, will be sorry to learn that she is seriously ill, following an operatoin which she underwent a few days ago in a hospital in Omaha, Nebraska. Miss Lloyd makes her home with her sister, Mrs. Merrie C. Beatty in Omaha. She is a sister of Dr. Dan Lloyd of Sixth street and Mrs. John R. Lynn of Fifth street.

Miss Ruth Yates of 712 Second street entertained with a delightful surprise party last evening in honor of the fifteenth birthday anniversary of her sister, Miss Catherine Yates. The evening was spent in dancing and games, after which a delicious refreshment course was served by the Misses Ruth Yates, Lucy Newman and Helen Smith. Those present included the Misses Mary Alice Coburn, Bernice Lozier, Anna Smith, Marie Hodge, Mabel Austin, Catherine Oldfield, Maryedna Wolf, Ethel Ely, Catherine Yates, Lucy Newman, Helen Smith and Ruth Yates.

Messrs. Ray Sadler, Clayton Fultz, Orin Bellamy, Herbert Schultz, Joseph Donahue, Forest Wood, George Glassock, Egbert Brown, Albert Partlow, Cramer Bradford, Carl Wiggel, William Simpson and Clarence Yates.

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The members of the Buckeye Social club will enjoy one of their popular dances Friday evening in Baesman's Dancing Academy. Dancing will continue from 8:30 until 11:30 o'clock, and Baesman's Five Piece Orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. J. A. Williams was hostess to the members of the Busy Bee Club last evening at her home on Ninth street. The evening was spent in Christmas needlework and social conversation, after which refreshments of ice cream, cake, candy and coffee were served by Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Bernard Ford. The members planned for a passing party on Tuesday, December 20th, at the home of Mrs. Frank Helt on Seventh street. Guests other than the club members were Mrs. Thomas Nichols and Mrs. Bernard Ford.

Mrs. Theodore Bauer was hostess and Miss Freda Chandler assistant hostess at a charming Christmas party given by members of Mrs. Frank Appel's class of Trinity, at the home of Mrs. Bauer, 1619 Grandview avenue last night.

The rooms were adorned with holly and cedar sprays, thus adding a touch of Christmas spirit. The evening was spent socially with music and various diversions, and at 10 o'clock a dainty salad course was served. Guests for the evening were: Mrs. Choice Freeman and Miss Helen Emmert.

Class members present included the Misses Carol Patton, Mabel Tracy, Hazel Clark, Pauline Oakes, Genevieve Dupre, Neva Adams, Evelyn Wallace, Freda Chandler, Mrs. J. B. Frostick, Mrs. L. B. Wallace and Mrs. Theodore Bauer.

CONFESSIONS OF A MOVIE STAR

CHAPTER L—I FIND A FORTUNE WITHIN MY GRASP

I'm not used to the idea of being my uncle's heir. I've been thinking most of what my luck might mean to May. And I thought maybe May and you—"

"Might reconcile you to it?" suggested Motherdear. Then she spoke seriously: "Cissy, it's not for me to influence the little girl. I'll help her pick out her frocks and her cars, I'll run her apartment for her, I'll attend to her correspondence, but when it comes to a husband, she must suit herself."

Motherdear rose. Cissy opened the door for her.

"I hope you won't think me an awful egotist to keep offering myself to her," he said to Motherdear. "I wouldn't if I didn't honestly believe I can make good as a husband and I hope as a son-in-law," he added mischievously. "You won't say a word for me, Mrs. Scott?"

"May will have to decide, Cissy. I must be neutral, my dear boy."

Cissy closed the door behind her, stood with his back to it and regarded me tenderly for a moment, then came rapidly toward me, saying:

"May—let's make it a close-up!"

"No- No! Please stay away!" I held up a repelling palm.

"Darling, you and I can make the matrimonial grade. What's the good of that money unless you show me how to use it?"

"Perhaps I don't know my own mind Cissy. All I can think of at the present moment is, 'Love Passes!' So why should I marry you—or anybody else?"

"Listen to me! If you believe that love is going to perish sooner or later if you're so sure—why can't you make up your mind to marry me and let me be a protector? We'll be chums, pals, —companions! If love passes, what difference does it make to you whom you marry?" Cissy stormed. "Believe me, it makes some difference to me."

"There's something in the idea," I admitted. "Give me time to think it over, please!"

And so he agreed. Next morning, Cissy departed for a distant city to attend to business connected with his inheritance. A year must elapse before the fortune would be transferred to him. Meanwhile he was going to study various branches of finance. But he would come back to the company to play opposite me in "Love-Lorn."

Cissy's inheritance was the sole topic discussed by the studio crowd for weeks. The girls envied me because I was acting with him. Unfortunately "I didn't have sense enough for my own good" in their opinion.

Dick Barnes came and went as usual without wasting words on me. He was the only one in the crowd who didn't play up to the newly made millionaire.

I think that I was tempted by Cissy's latest appeal. It wasn't the fortune which influenced me, nor was it my chance to take my place among the most envied brides of the decade. I was moved by Cissy's suggestion:

"If you don't believe in ideal love, if you're so sure that no love lasts—then why not marry me anyway?"

(To be continued)

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When a Federal Bureau reminds you that children should not drink coffee or tea—
Why not think of your own health?

The Federal Bureau of Education includes in its rules to promote health among the Nation's school children, the warning that children should not drink coffee or tea.

The reason is well known. Coffee and tea contain drugs which stimulate and often over-excite the nerves, and so upset health.

The harm is by no means confined to children, as any doctor can tell you.

If health is valuable to childhood, it is valuable always. If harm to health should be avoided until bodies grow up, is it worth taking a chance with health when bodies have grown up?

You can have that delicious and satisfying cereal beverage, Postum, with any meal, and be safe—you, and the children, too. There's charm without harm in Postum.

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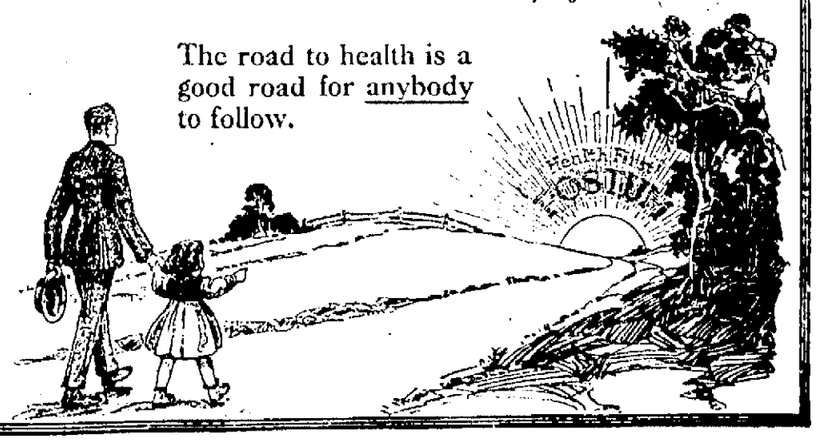
The road to health is a good road for anybody to follow.



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CRUCIAL STAGE IN TWO OVERSHADOWING ISSUES OF THE ARMS MEETING

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The naval ratio and Shantung, now the two overshadowing issues of the arms conference, both were at a crucial stage today, but with varying prospects of immediate settlement.

There was every indication that the naval ratio discussions were proceeding favorably, and some of the delegates believed a final solution would be reached at the conference of the "big three" late today.

The Shantung negotiations, on the other hand, have developed a situation described in official circles as "very delicate" and the Japanese delegates have referred to Tokio the matter of the Kia-Chow railroad, a point which has developed into an issue. It is hinted that the Chinese and Japanese plenipotentiaries may refer their differences directly to a "big four" composed of heads of the American, British, Japanese and Chinese delegations.

Japan's desire to retain her new battleship Mutsu is the issue about which center the naval discussions, with the Japanese apparently ready to accept the American 5-5-3 plan if permitted to keep the Mutsu and scrap instead an older vessel.

Similar concessions for the British and American navies would be requisite as an offset, and the task of arranging all the technical details involved is one which is requiring considerable discussion.

In the Shantung negotiations, in the matter of the Kiao-Chow railway, China has made pledges of payment which her delegates think ample to compensate the Japanese for improvements they have made on the road, but the Japanese delegates are unwilling to accept the offer and consequently have cabled Tokio for further instructions as to what form of security should be required.

A British spokesman pointed out today that Japan's suggestion for retention of the Mutsu would result in the Japanese having two warships of the largest type, the Mutsu and the Negato. Then, said the spokesman, the British and Americans would have to make a readjustment of the list if the 5-5-3 ratio was to be maintained. The British might have to build two more Hoods, and on the other hand the Japanese might have to scrap some additional ships of the older types in order to maintain the ratio.

Browns Get Pitcher Danforth

NEW YORK, Dec. 14—(By the Associated Press)—The first of a series of baseball trades in the big leagues was announced today when the St. Louis Americans traded eight players for Dave Danforth, star left-handed pitcher of the Columbus team of the American Association.

The Browns will give Emilio Palmero, Roy Saunders, William Burwell, Grover Lowdermilk, all pitchers; Bill Gleason, escond baseman, and three other players to be selected by the Columbus team later. Two of these will be chosen in 1922 and one in 1923. Announcement also was made that the Detroit Americans had obtained Chick Shotten from the Browns. Details of this transaction were not made known.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wagner of Columbus are the guests of Portsmouth relatives and friends.

Group One of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. M. Jaynes, 1109 Third street, instead of in the afternoon as previously announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Duplain of Second street will leave next week for Los Angeles, California, where they will spend the coming year with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAfee. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Duplain of Sixth street will occupy their home during their absence.

The members of the P. B. G. Club met last evening at the home of Miss Hazel Clark, 1816 Summitt street. The early part of the evening was devoted to needlework and games, after which a short program was rendered. Miss Matilda Bricker gave a reading; Miss Grace Young entertained the members with some choice jokes, and recitations were given by the Misses Anna and Louella Kanouse. Later refreshments were served to the Misses Vivian and Lucile Daniels, Anna, Cora and Louella Kanouse, Marie McLaughlin, Clara Fields, Matilda Bricker, Grace Shump and Hazel Clark. Miss Vivian Daniels was taken in as a new member. The next meeting will be with Miss Louella Kanouse, 1816 Summitt street.

One of the most enjoyable parties of the holiday season was the one tendered the members of the Home for Aged Women last evening by Mrs. Isabelle Thomas' Sunday School class of the Second Presbyterian church.

Thirty-five members of the class and a few guests assembled in the living-room of the Home at seven o'clock, bringing with them bouquets of lovely cut flowers and boxes of candy for each member of the Home. The living room was centered with a beautifully decorated Christmas tree and a delightful Christmas program was rendered for the pleasure of the honored guests. A piano duet was given by Miss Anna Cramer and Mrs. James D. Williams. A vocal solo, "Daybreak," was also given by Mrs. James D. Williams. Miss Margaret Thiers gave two enjoyable readings, "The Minister's Black Horse" and "Daisy's Practice Hour." Miss Elizabeth Dunn also gave a reading, "Jingle Bells," and the class sang several Christmas carols.

After the program the ladies arranged the table for the refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee.

Christmas greens and cut flowers were used in the decorations, and small boxes of bon bons were given as favors.

The committee in charge of this delightful affair included Mrs. John E. Williams, Mrs. J. F. Morris and Mrs. Mary Morgan. Class members present were Mrs. Isabelle Thomas, the teacher, Mrs. Homer Lloyd, Mrs. James A. Kirby, Mrs. Elsie Hobstetter, Mrs. Elizabeth Boren, Mrs. Hattie Smith, Mrs. C. W. G. Hannah, Mrs. William D. Hesz, Mrs. Joseph Patton, Mrs. Maurice Hicks, Mrs. Fred Baker, Mrs. A. J. Franklin, Mrs. Frank V. Knauss, Mrs. Lizzie Wall, Mrs. Anna Knauss, Mrs. Frank Norris, Mrs. William Leichner, Mrs. J. S. Donn, Mrs. Sara Bickle, Mrs. G. T. Elliott, Mrs. Margaret Thomas, Mrs. R. G. Applegate, Mrs. Ben King, Mrs. Henry Revare and Mrs. George Prince.

Guests other than class members were Miss Anna Cramer, Miss Margaret Thiers, Miss Elizabeth Dunn, Miss Lois Franklin and Mrs. J. E. Williams.

Mrs. E. J. Wolfe has been moved from Hempstead hospital to her home, 1223 Grandview avenue, and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. J. P. Smith's Sunday school class of Trinity church will meet tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Adam Youngman, 807 Harvard street. Members are urged to please keep in mind the donations that the class are planning to give to the poor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Campbell entertained a few friends last evening at the beautiful new home of Ralph Schisler, 1102 Kinney's Lane. The evening was spent playing 500 and at the close of the game Leslie Schisler was awarded a two pound box of candy for the highest score and Ralph Campbell was awarded the consolation prize. Mrs. Wiley Riffle rendered several beautiful vocal and instrumental solos. Those present included Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Riffle, Miss Alice Boone, Leslie Schisler and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Campbell.

Mrs. Anna Keifer of Columbus is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ressinger of Seventh street.

Mrs. C. F. Taylor of Greenup is the guest of Miss Rose Sellards of this city.

Miss Mary E. Cottle entertained the Monday Kensington Club at her home, 1202 Fourth street, Monday evening. Needlework, music and social chat helped to while away the time, and at 10 o'clock a delicious buffet lunch was served to the following: Misses Agnes Seidel, Nora Wilhelm, Maud Legler, Mrs. Frank Coburn, Mrs. Robert Hislip, Mrs. Oscar Brown and Mrs. Martin Journey.

The next meeting will be a passing party to be held in another week with Mrs. John Gemperlne.

Honoring the sixtieth birthday anniversary of Judge A. Z. Blair, members of his family and immediate relatives entertained with an informal dinner at six o'clock at the Blair home last evening. The table was decorated in keeping with the holiday season and an appetizing four course dinner was served.

Covers were laid for Judge and Mrs. A. Z. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Blair, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Guy Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gillen and Mrs. Minnie Tyree.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thomas of Altamont, Kansas, arrived yesterday to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomas of 1423 Mound street. They made the trip in their machine, leaving home last September. Enroute here they visited friends in several cities.

The Progress Club will meet Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Nellie Niswonger, Seventeenth and Hutchins street. The assistant hostess will be Mrs. Charles Wemlelken. The following program will be presented:

Roll Call—My favorite Dessert.

Paper—Health and Diet—Miss Blanche Stokley.

Louise Newland.

After the program the members will enjoy a passing party.

Jerry Paul is the name given the little son recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Duvendeck (Margaret Mahoney) of Twentieth street.

Howard Brown of this city has concluded a visit to home folks in Stockdale.

To Hold Art Sale

The Sun Circle of Allen Chapel will give an art sale tomorrow afternoon and evening at the church, Twelfth and Waller streets. All kinds of fancy work suitable for Christmas presents will be on sale. Refreshments will be served during the evening and Mrs. Harris, soprano soloist of Springfield will give several vocal selections.

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Scioto County chapter of the Red Cross will be held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Friday night Dec. 16 at 7:30 o'clock.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Columbia Parker of Lyra are the parents of an eleven pound son born this morning at the home of his sister who lives at 332 Third street. Mr. Parker is a timber man.

Ever After.

Man originally came before woman but he's been after her ever since.—Chicago American.

Killed While Operating Engine

Bert Brant of 2220 Grandview avenue left today for Blanchester, O., upon receipt of the news that his son-in-law, Grover Whitacre was accidentally killed while operating a power engine. The message gave no details of his tragic death.

Whitacre, who has frequently visited here is survived by his wife and two sons.

Kiwanians Elect Officers Next Week

Walter Davidson's Winter Garden orchestra had charge of the musical program at the weekly meeting of the Kiwanis Club today and it proved to be a very enjoyable one. Annual election of officers is down on the program at the next meeting.

Says Murdered Man Lived In Elkhorn, Ky.

A Wheelersburg man called at the Lynn morgue this afternoon and said the dead man there was William Bartley, and that he formerly resided in Elkhorn, Ky. He says he worked with him and says as soon as relatives are brought here they will identify the man as Bartley. An effort is being made to get in touch with the Bartley family in Elkhorn.

Archer Is Candidate

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 14—Senator M. B. Archer, of Caldwell, Noble county, today announced his candidacy for the Lieutenant Governorship in the Republican primary election next August.

Passing Party Is On The Program

The degree team of the Daughters of America will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Carrie Berkley 416 Second street tomorrow evening. All members are urged to be present as a passing party will be a special entertainment feature.

Will Confer Degree Work

The Jr. O. U. A. M. will hold their regular meeting tonight when several candidates will be given degree work. The New Boston Camp's degree team will confer the work. Lunch will be served.

"The Messiah"

The big chorus for "The Messiah" held another rehearsal last night at the First Presbyterian church, under Mrs. J. M. Stockham's direction. The members are all most enthusiastic over the results of the hard work which has been done toward the rendering of this majestic oratorio on the Tuesday night after Christmas, December 27th.

There is nothing temporary or commonplace about "The Messiah." For many years it has been recognized as the greatest of all oratorios. Ever since the King of England spontaneously rose during the singing of the "Hallelujah Chorus," swept by this supreme tribute to the infinite majesty of God, his example has not only been eagerly followed wherever the oratorio is given, but the world has come to recognize that here is one of the truly great means of worship, provided for all time.

Year after year the vogue of "The Messiah," especially when given during the Christmas season, continues unabated in the musical centers of the land, and the city that cannot boast its annual "Messiah" night, feels that its claim to real city-hood is thereby seriously challenged.

Mr. Zero In New Role

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Urbain Ledoux, the "Mr. Zero", of the recent unemployment crisis, today began a one-man picketing campaign against the armament conference. Ledoux, while parading in front of the Pan-American Union building, carried his heart-covered umbrella, a Bible and a lighted lantern.

"I am searching for a Christian in the conference," he told inquirers. "If there is a real Christian there, the conference is saved."

After he had maintained his patrol for two hours, Ledoux was taken to police headquarters on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Tobacco Growers In Action

LEXINGTON, KY., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association, the movement for which was started last March, became a going concern today when a board of directors chosen from 22 districts of the Burley belt, took charge. The association which is said to be the largest in the United States, has approximately 55,000 members and controls close to 200,000,000 pounds of Burley tobacco.

The board of directors will elect a president and secretary and three delegates at large, one each from Kentucky, Ohio and Indiana. Judge Robert W. Bingham, of Louisville; R. L. Harrison, of Manchester, Ohio, and Harry Snooks, of Madison, Ind., and Martin L. Harris, of Rising Sun, Ind., are been endorsed for delegates at large by their respective state districts.

Game Is Sure Go

WASHINGTON, PENN., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Definite announcement has been made by athletic authorities that the Washington and Jefferson football team will entrain for California, December 24, to meet the University of California squad at Pasadena, January 2, under the auspices of the Tournament of Roses.

W. & J. coaches are not letting up in practice, and yesterday the men had signal drills on a field heavily covered by snow.

Venus is about 67,000,000 miles away from the sun.

McGannon Starts Term In Jail

CLEVELAND, O., December 14.—William H. McGannon, former chief justice of the municipal court, is a prisoner today in the county jail here. He surrendered to the authorities last night and began serving a twenty days' sentence imposed after he had been found guilty of contempt of court. In addition to the jail sentence he was fined $100.

Judge Willis Vickery, of the court of appeals, yesterday dismissed McGannon's appeal. An all-day search by deputies armed with a capias for McGannon's arrest proved fruitless. According to McGannon's attorneys, he was at home sick.

McGannon was found guilty of contempt of court by Judge R. H. Day, of Canton, on the charge of having conspired to obstruct justice. It is alleged that he with several others had May E. Neely, star witness for the state in McGannon's first trial for the murder of Harold C. Kagy, change her testimony at his second trial. The jury at the first trial disagreed, but the second jury acquitted McGannon of the murder charge.

GLEANERS FORUM OPEN

TOLEDO, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The thirteenth biennial convention of the National Gleaners' Forum, got under way here this morning with 700 delegates, from all parts of the country, in attendance.

A public session at which Grant Slocum, of Detroit, president of the organization, will speak, will feature today's program.

Senator Herbert F. Baker, of Michigan, and Mayor Schreiber, of Toledo, will also deliver short addresses.

The evening session will be devoted to the initiation of candidates.

Automobile Trade Meets

COLUMBUS, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Heads of sales departments of several nationally known automobile manufacturing concerns and accessory companies are scheduled to address today's sessions of the Ohio Automotive Trade Association convention.

Charles F. Kettering, Dayton, president of the General Motors Research Corporation, widely known for his work in connection with the Liberty motor, is expected to arrive from Dayton this morning by airplane. Speakers on the program also include George B. Nason, of the Champion Spark Plug Company, Toledo, and Harry F. Meixel, chairman of the motor vehicle committee of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

CINCINNATI—Three hundred men employed at the Louisville and Nashville shops at Covington and Deconsey are to be laid off temporarily Monday.

The letter, says the dispatch, was drafted by the Ulster cabinet yesterday evening as a reply to Mr. Lloyd George's last letter of December fifth which contained the terms of the Anglo-Irish agreement. Sir James, according to the Standard's information, protests against what he terms Great Britain's departure from the act of 1920, which Ulster accepted in good faith.

To Invite U. Of P.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 14—(By the Associated Press)—Harvard will invite University of Pittsburg to meet the crimson football team here on October 28, next year, if University of California is unable to accept that date. Announcement to this effect was made today by Major F. W. Moore, graduate of Harvard athletics.

Sliding Scale.

"I'm a taxpayer," gibbered the citizen, "and I demand consideration." "Lemme see your tax certificate," responded the city official calmly, "and then I'll know just how much consideration you are entitled to."—Kansas City Journal.

"Mite" Have Known It.

He was a very promising young scientist until he tried to extract the "dye" from dynamite.—Science and Invention.

Cock Crowing Belgian Sport.

Cock-crowing competitions are very popular among the working classes in Belgium. The roosters are ranged in cases, and official markers note the number of crows. The cock that has uttered its shrill cry most times in an hour carries off the prize.

Color-Blindness.

No fewer than 55 persons in every thousand are more or less colorblind. The commonest form is not, as many suppose, inability to distinguish red and green; that affects one person in 55. The most usual symptom is uncertainty between blue and green.

COURT HOUSE

Wife Given Divorce

Sina Cox, 2002 Seventh street, was granted a decree by Judge Stephenson in Common Pleas court Wednesday divorcing her from Robert S. Cox, now living at Mansfield, and awarding her the custody of their 12 year old daughter. They were married in June 1906 and the decree was granted on the ground of infidelity. Attorneys Blair and Blair represented the wife.

Makes Many Charges

Lulu Adkins, Columbus avenue, New Boston, charges cruelty, neglect and infidelity in her suit for divorce and alimony with custody of their infant child filed in Common Pleas court Wednesday against Burns Adkins, now serving a term in the county jail, whom she married in June 1917.

In her petition filed through Attorneys Blair and Blair the wife complains he assaulted, cursed, abused and otherwise mistreated her, failed and refused to provide for her and their child and declares that he has been guilty of misconduct with one Margaret Held.

Light Gets Divorce

On the grounds of neglect and infidelity William C. Light, 1011 Mill street, was divorced from Sarah Light by Judge Stephenson in Common Pleas court Wednesday morning.

They were married in January 1917, and the defendant was divested of all interest in Light's property through the decree entered. Light told the court that the defendant abandoned him and their home last September and ran away with their star boarder, one Ed Chamber with whom she is now living in another city, it was stated.

Attorney B. F. Kimble for plaintiff.

Wife Gets Divorce and Alimony

Mae King, 310 Washington street, was granted a decree by Judge Stephenson at a hearing in Common Pleas court Wednesday, divorcing her from Joseph King, proprietor of a soft drink establishment, 117 Market street, and awarding her $1 a day alimony.

The evidence adduced strongly indicated that the couple lived a sort of a "cat and dog" life during the few months they lived together, the wife, on the stand in her own behalf, telling the court that King frequently came home intoxicated and assaulted and beat her, the last time on Oct. 25, 1921, when they finally separated. She further declared that he squandered his earnings for drink and in gambling over her protests and asserted that he was possessed with a vicious temper, became enraged without provocation and at various times broke up their furniture and dishes. The wife declared that she still loved King but stated that it was impossible for them to live together because of his misconduct. After King also expressed the opinion that they could not live together peacefully Judge Stephenson entered an order dissolving the partnership but in this connection the court took occasion to say that he did not take much stock in the wife's statement that she still loved her husband or else she would not have given up the task of reforming him after a few short months of married life. Using a popular expression in urging the couple to reconcile their differences the court declares that he had "seen sicker cats than this get well" but refusing to heed, the court reminded the plaintiff that this was her second matrimonial venture, both of which proved failures, and warned her to be more careful in her selection of a helpmate next time.

They were married last April. Attorney B. F. Kimble represented the wife and Attorney Horace L. Snall appeared for the defendant.

McGraw Dismissed

Eddie McGraw, of Brouse's Run, West Side, appeared in probate court Wednesday to meet a charge of non-support made by his wife but after hearing the evidence Judge Gillilland dismissed the complaint for lack of convincing proof. The testimony strongly indicated that McGraw is an industrious man and at all times put forth his best efforts to take care of his family.

THEATRICAL

Present New Play Tonight

The LaReane Stock Company the attraction at the Sun this week and next will offer a complete change of program tonight with new scenery, electrical effects and new specialties between acts. Every member of the company is an artist and is able to take each new role assigned them several times a week. "A Child of the Slums" will be the title of the show offered tonight and tomorrow, with daily matinees. This show is even better than the comedy offered the first two days. The five reel photoplay feature is "The Witness for the Defense," starring Elsie Ferguson. Friday afternoon every adult ticket purchased will admit an additional lady free. Popular prices for this double bill.

Forty Years In The Pen

TOLEDO, O., December 14. (By the Associated Press) Charles Schultz, convicted of conspiracy in connection with the Toledo million dollar post office robbery, January 17, last, who escaped from the Lucas county jail, Labor Day, and was later recaptured, today pleaded guilty to the charge of robbery in connection with the same case and was sentenced to forty years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, by Federal Judge Killits. James Sansone, under conviction for conspiracy, also pleaded guilty to the robbery charge and was sentenced to 20 years and one day at Leavenworth.

Joe Urbaytis and George Rogers, under conviction for conspiracy in the post office robbery, and who escaped with Schultz in the Labor Day jail delivery, are still at large.

Rev. Father Anthony Gorck, New Chicago, Ind., parish priest, who confessed that he received $87,000 worth of bonds from Wanda Urbaytis, convicted of conspiracy in connection with the case, was sentenced to one hour in the custody of the United States marshal.

Changing Colors of Birds.

The color of birds may be changed to white by keeping them in a white room, surrounded by white objects and attended by persons dressed in white, says a naturalist. However, the third or fourth generation is necessary before the bird's feathers are all white.

Additional Prizes

Pigeons owned by R. M. Keller and C. Brammer on display at the poultry and pet show in Horr's hall were easy winners when the prize awards were made yesterday by M. M. Barger of Marion. These birds have recently taken prizes at Hagerstown, Md., Allentown, Pa., and Madison Square Garden, N. Y. They are some of the best birds of their kind in this section of the country and are prized very highly by their owners.

Secretary Keller today announced the following list of awards made by the judge, Mr. Barger:

Pigeons (as judged by pairs)

First Prize—White Kings—C. Brammer.

First Prize—Black carriers—C. Brammer.

First Prize—Red Magpies—C. Brammer.

First—Black white barred Fairy Snip Swallows—C. Brammer.

First—Lavendor laced Oriental Frills—C. Brammer.

First Prize—Black parlor Tumblers—R. M. Keller.

First—Pigmy Pouters—R. M. Keller.

First—Blue black barred Fairy Snip Swallows—R. M. Keller.

First—Spangled white barred Fairy Snip Swallows—R. M. Keller.

First—Satinette Oriental Frills—R. M. Keller.

First—Bluette Oriental Frills—R. M. Keller.

Swiss Mondaines

First Prize—C. W. Ridenour.

Second Prize—Ben Leichner.

Red Carquex

First Prize—Fred Doerr.

Racing Homers

First—John Parker and C. Moatz.

Second—Ben Leichner.

Bantams

First Prize—White Buff—Leo Debo.

First Prize—Golden Sea Brights—Paul Fagan.

Second Prize—Golden Sea Brights—Ed Days, Lucasville.

Game Chickens

First Prize—Old pen. Irish gray flat heads—Ben Dunham.

First Prize—Old pen. Black Irish gray—Ray Dunham.

Buff Ducks

First Prize—Mrs. Louis Ellis.

Ninety-seven year old duck owned by Brunner took second prize.

Coons

First Prize—D. A. Nutt, Stockdale.

Rabbits

First Prize—Flemish Giants—John Virgin.

First—Checkered doe—Ed Knittel.

First—Steel African giant—Ed Knittel.

First—Flemish doe—Ed Knittel.

First—Checkered buck—Ed Knittel.

First—New eZaland doe—A. C. Wilson, Sciotoville.

Cats

First Prize—Angora—C. W. Ridenour.

Second—Manix—James Wamser.

Second—Persian—James Wamser.

Third — White Angora—Arthur Fields, Sciotoville.

First prize was awarded to James Wamser for having the best display of cavies, Mexican Parrots, English Ferrets, Blue winged love birds, Australian Parrakeets, Alligators, English bull Finches, Florid Gophers.

Foch Bids Farewell To America Bearing Every Honor U. S. Could Bestow

NEW YORK, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Ferdinand Foch, grey and slight, but bearing with him every honor that America could bestow on one of alien citizenship, bade farewell to cheering throngs here today and sailed away to France.

In his baggage were six great cases filled with gifts from the people of this continent, who thronged to see him during his tour of the United States and Canada and lend their voices in acclaim of the man who hurled Germany's legions back from the soil of France and won victory in history's greatest conflict. Since coming to America late in October, he has traveled over the wide expanses of the American continent, from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the inland seas to the gulf.

He had also rode the streets of the principal cities of eastern Canada.

Everywhere he had received gifts. Here it was an honorary college degree, there a medal of gold or a trinket or two, and yonder a pet or a flower, or maybe just a wee token of esteem, admiration and love. He betrayed the fact, with the receiving of each of the gifts, that his heart was touched, and each one was with him, today when he boarded the liner Paris for home.

His luggage included a score and a half of parchments, attesting he had been accorded honorary degrees by America's leading universities and colleges. There was one crate full of Montana wild cats of the bob-tailed, spitting but not very dangerous type, presented by American Legionnaires. Another crate contained a white Chester pig from Iowa, also a Legion gift. There was a whole box of medals and medallionse, a golden and bejeweled sword in a golden scabbard; a gold-headed cane and a half dozen or so of loving cups. A union bricklayer's card was to be found also in the marshal's possession.

Crow Indians dubbed the marshal "warrior of warriors" and made him a full-fledged chief. Sioux, once the terrors of the northern plains, gave him a war bonnet, bestowed only the bravest of the brave, and called him "Chief Watakpech Wakiya," or "Charging Thunder."

And out in a little town of Indiana, where the marshal's special train stopped for a few moments, he received from a wan-faced little woman a potted geranium.

"Take it," she implored, "and plant it on the grave of my son. He fell near Soissons."

The geranium has been carefully preserved and will be planted by Marshal Foch in his own garden "in honor of the son of the little woman of Indiana."

To Take Up Soldier Bonus Question Immediately After Congress Christmas Recess

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14—The house ways and means committee, now that the tariff and tax revision are off its hands for the present at least, will take up the soldier bonus question immediately after the Christmas recess. Chairman Fordney announced today that the committee's first order of business for the new year would be consideration of adjusted compensation legislation. Its primary concern, he added, would be to determine how funds with which to pay a bonus can be raised.

The house membership, according to present indications, will be divided in its views as to how bonus payments should be financed.

The opinion appears to be general, however, that such a bill must provide a means of raising the funds it intends to distribute, a feature, which was lacking in the adjusted compensation measure which received the approval of the house during the last session, but which was placed indefinitely in committee in the senate.

Among the proposals now being put forward as a means of raising bonus funds is either a manufacturers' tax or a general business sales tax. It is also contended by some that if a bonus is voted, it should in some way be linked up with settlements by foreign nations of the debt owed the United States.

House leaders said today there was a growing demand among members, most of whom will stand for re-election next fall, for disposal of the bonus question at an early date.

Mr. Fordney said he had informed American Legion officials only recently that substantial progress would be made within ninety days toward enactment of such a measure, although he made it plain that he could not state definitely when the bill would become a law.

Several leaders who declare that they favor payment of a bonus have, however, taken the position that it would be advisable to wait, and observe how the new tax law operates in order to ascertain to some extent what the appropriations for the coming fiscal year will total.

Former German Crown Prince May Return To Germany

DOORN, HOLLAND, December 14—(By the Associated Press)—The former German crown prince, who since November, 1918, has lived at Wieringen, is now planning to return to Germany and expects to request permission of the Dutch government for his departure early in the spring.

Frederick William looks forward to life as a country gentleman with his wife and children on an estate at Oels, in Prussia. Several members of his staff and a few servants of the former kaiser, it is said, will soon go to Oels to prepare for the coming of the former crown prince.

China Wants Treaties Abrogated

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The Chinese delegation today asked of the powers represented in the Far Eastern committee of the Washington conference that the famous twenty-one demands treaty of 1915 be abrogated.

The Chinese also ask that all treaties granting special spheres of influence in China be abrogated. The requests were incorporated in China's response to the request of the committee at its meeting on Monday that the Chinese furnish a list of the specific spheres of influence they desired cancelled.

First locomotive was used in the United States on January 15, 1831.

BRUNSWICK HEADQUARTERS

Brunswick Phonographs and Records at BRADFORDS, 824 Gallia St.

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The Movies

Tonight is your last chance to see Mary Pickford in her new picture "Through the Back Door" at the Eastland Tehatre. Don't let this good picture go by without seeing it. Shows at 6:15, 8:00 and 9:30 p. m. Prices, Adults 35 cents, children 15 cents.

PROGRAM

A—"The Heart of the Sky Mountains"—in Prizma colors.

B—"Somewhere in Turkey" with Harold Lloyd, Bebe Daniels, Snub Pollard.

C—The Eastland Augmented Orchestra.

D—Mary Pickford in her latest picture "Through the Back Door."

Again Mary Pickford has triumphed! "Through the Back Door," her newest film vehicle came to the Eastland Monday for a three days stay, and with it come all the merriment and also all the pathos that have put this little artist on the topmost rung of the ladder of fame.

In this film we see Mary Pickford as a little girl again. And without question, she is a better little girl in this piece than in any of her previous offerings, which is saying a lot. When the picture opens, a child four years old is doubling for Miss Pickford but about the time the first reel is finished Little Mary assumes the role. We see her first as a little girl about ten, but when the picture ends she has grown to be quite a young lady and has a wonderful dress-up part.

The story starts at Ostend, Belgium. Miss Pickford as Jeanne Bolamere has a mother who falls in love with Elton Reeves, a wealthy New Yorker. A whirlwind courtship results in their marriage. Little Jeanne, whom the new daddy regards as considerable of a nuisance, is left with her faithful nurse, Marie, who marries a Belgian farmer and settles down to rural life near Mons.

Here little Jeanne grows up, and the comical things she does during her childhood keep the audience in a roar of laughter.

A Christmas time picture awaits you at the Eastland Theatre for three days, matinee and night, starting tomorrow. Will Rogers in "An Unwilling Hero," adapted from O. Henry's famous story "Whistling Dick's Christmas Stocking." Added Headliner, Joe Martin, the Monkey Comedian in "A Monkey Bellhop."

When Will Rogers comes to the Eastland Theatre tomorrow in his latest Goldwyn picture, "An Unwilling Hero," another famous story by O. Henry, America's best known short story writer, will have reached the screen. The original title of this story was "Whistling Dick's Christmas Stocking," and the leading character is a lovable tramp, whom Will Rogers can impersonate better than any actor now on the screen.

In "An Unwilling Hero," Will Rogers is a hobo who has a penchant for whistling operatic airs. His companions decide to commit a robbery. But this is beyond the whistling hobo's field of activities. Fearing him the other tramps bind him to a tree, but he succeeds in warning the owner of a plantation of a plan to rob his home. As a reward, Whistling Dick (Will Rogers) is offered a job, but he remains true to the call of the road. But the unwilling hero manages to keep his hands from work results in some of the most humorous situations in which Will Rogers ever found himself.

Military Buildings Destroyed

LOUISVILLE, KY., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Four of the main buildings of the Kentucky military institute at Lyndon, ten miles east of Louisville, were destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at $100,000. The fire, due to sparks from a defective flue, was discovered while the 150 students of the institution were at Chapel. They were able to save their personal effects, but were powerless to prevent the spread of the flames. Fire departments from Louisville, St. Matthews and Anchorage arrived too late.

PATRICK J. HALEY,
Syracuse, N. Y.

"I'm feeling like a new man since Tanlac soothed and toned up my stomach and for the first time in forty years can eat a hearty meal and suffer no distress afterwards," was the remarkable statement of Patrick J. Haley, 107 Prospect Ave., Syracuse, N. Y., a well-known iron and steel worker:

"Only those who have had stomach trouble in a bad form can know what I suffered during all those years. I was almost a nervous wreck, too, and for years I didn't know what it was to get a good sound sleep at night.

"I got new life and energy from each dose of Tanlac, and now I'm a well and happy man instead of a sick and miserable one as I was for so many years. I'll vouch for the merit of Tanlac at any time."

Tanlac is sold in Portsmouth by the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy and by leading druggists everywhere.

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Begins Sentence

Lawrence Johnson, colored, and who resides here, has begun his sentence of six months in jail, imposed by Judge Peck in the U. S. Federal Court in Cincinnati, after being found guilty of accepting an extortionate fee in a pension case. "The best thing for me to do is to start the sentence and get it over as quickly as possible," Johnson writes local friends.

To Play Ashland

HUNTINGTON, Dec. 14—The first Huntington High School girls' basketball game this season will be played January 13 with the Ashland High team. Last year the Ashland High team won fame throughout the tri-state for their excellent record and accurate playing.

NOTICE!

Harry J. Wagner, former partner of the late Wm. H. Wagner, of 522 Second street, of Portsmout, Ohio, announces that he will continue the business of making Pure Herb Medicine, and will be able at all times to accommodate their customers with the same line of medicines as formerly made by the late Wm. H. Wagner and Harry J. Wagner.

This business will be conducted by Harry J. Wagner as executor of the estate of the late Dr. Wm. H. Wagner.

HARRY J. WAGNER.

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WHY, HELLO, JOHN

COLUMBUS—John Stratton, 56, Philadelphia, thought to have died 15 years ago, appeared here to claim his share of the $10,000 estate of John McCoy, a relative, who died 11 years ago.

Grandview Revival

The subject last evening was "Establishing the Beginning Corner and Locating the Boundaries." Jer. 6:16. Thus saith the Lord, stand ye in the ways, and see and ask for the old paths and walk therein and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, we will not walk therein.

There were too many ways then as now. We are instructed to inquire for the old paths. Some of them are too new. We are next to ask for the good way and walk in it. This shows that amidst the plurality of human ways, God has one way which it was our purpose to survey. We surveyed the way and established by scripture the beginning corner at Jerusalem and on the day of Pentecost. Read Matt. 28: 18, 19. Mark 16:15-16. Luke 24:46-49. Acts 1:4, 5, 8; (2:1-4). With like certainty we located the boundaries of the Christian inheritance wherein we enjoy remission of sins. We followed Peter, the scripture surveyor. Standing at the beginning corner, he runs the first line which is found in Acts 2:14-22. Where we are commanded to hear. The second line we find is 2:36. This belief or assurance is a very strong belief and we are to look for no other assurance. Faith comes by hearing. Rom. 2:10. The third line is found Acts 2:38. Peter says "Repent." Are you on the wrong side of this line? The last line is found 2:38. Baptism. Notwithstanding many are on the wrong side of this line we cannot bend the line to take them in.

The subject tonight is "Some Startling Questions."

All Set Now

Varsity basketball uniforms have been issued at the high school to the following candidates for the team: Ellsessor, Wallace, Mock, Barklow, Manning, Brant, Phillips, Moritz and Tripp.

The team held a fast scrimmage session last night at the gymnasium. On Monday and Wednesday the practices are held in the afternoon and on Tuesday and Thursday in the evening.

P. H. S. will open its season one week from tonight when the New Boston squad is met on the local floor.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

During the season of Christmas shopping, great care should be taken to avoid colds that are likely to result in grip and pneumonia. The excitement of the time, the sudden change from the close and suffocating air of the big stores to the street, are all dangerous.

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DAILY NEWS EVENTS IN PICTURES

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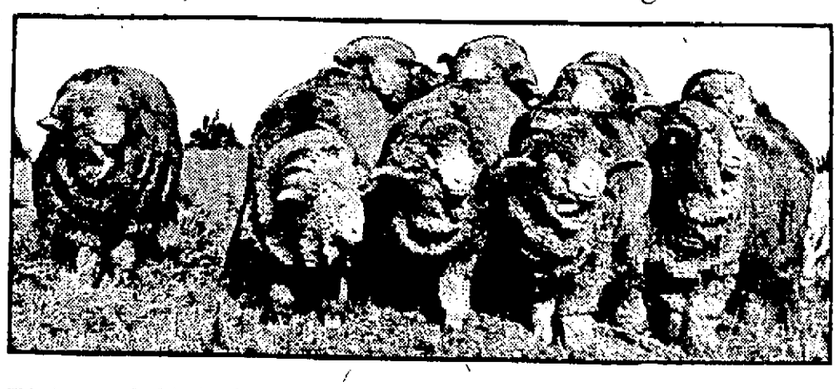

This is a squad of buck privates—Rambouillet sheep owned by Fred W. Herriu, of Ashland, Ore. Their horns are their arms. How about disarming them, Mr. Hughes? Not bad formation, eh veterans?

Like Queen, Like Princess

Queen Mary's hobby is babies. Princess Mary likes them when they've grown a bit. Here she is visiting kiddies in a London park. It is reported in London that Viscount Lascelles, her fiance, may be governor general of the new Irish Free State. In that event Princess Mary will be the "first lady."

Feline Royalty

Lord Echson and Silver Princess walked off with a few blue ribbons at the annual cat show, New York City. That's Mrs. Estelle Baldwin, their owner, holding them. Yes, the lord and the princess are brother and sister.

Three Hands!

New York police have discovered a new trick of shoplifters. A gloved artificial hand rests upon the counter while the real hand unnoticed slips valuables into an inside pocket.

Learning To Paddle Their Own

Girls of Kensington Y. W. C. A., Philadelphia, learning to paddle a canoe in the gym tank so they'll be safe in deep water next summer.

Bike Marvel

Alfred Goullot, hero of the six-day race at Madison Square Garden. He won 13 of the last 18 sprints and with his partner, Maurice Brocco, won the six-day event.

Planet Neptune, farthest from the sun of those yet known, was discovered in 1846.

Earliest form of ballroom dancing was the quadrille, started about 1815.

Condition Unchanged

There is little change in the condition of Charles Martin who was crushed beneath a tractor last week, and he is receiving medical attention at Mercy hospital where it is stated that he has a chance for recovery. He is suffering comparatively little pain considering the seriousness of his injuries.

Planet Venus is only about 300 miles smaller than the earth in diameter.

Seriously Ill

William T. Hughes of Seventh street is seriously ill with rheumatism.

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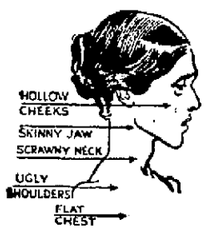

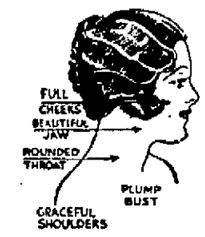

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Rev. Boyd And Frank Bacon Enjoy Reunion

Rev. D. C. Boyd, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has returned from a business trip to Chicago, where he was formerly located. While there he met Frank Bacon, the great character actor, who is the star in "Lightnin", which ran two years in New York. Rev. Boyd and Mr. Bacon were neighbors out in California for many years and were glad to see each other. Mr. Bacon is now recognized as one of America's leading actors.

Police regulations in Japan prevent women from attending political meetings.

So Many Things Can Be Wrong With The Human Eye

That it is impossible to enumerate them all. Some of the results of eye strain are so subtle that it is hard for an ordinary individual to realize that they are caused by eye strain. The condition is blamed on almost anything else than the eyes. But eye strain should be suspected in every case where some persistent annoyance cannot be accounted for. If eye strain is a detriment to you, we can help you greatly.

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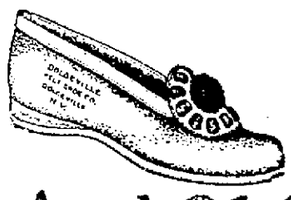

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Men and women who toil, either physically or mentally, use up energy. When they overwork they use up more energy, and sometimes the blood gets in a run-down condition. Without rest the blood cannot get back to normal, so that it becomes clogged with waste matter from over-exertion.

The clogged blood virtually withers the body. The strained looks on pale faces, the thin, bloodless arms, the sunken cheeks and necks, the dead-tired feeling, are the results of stale blood depriving the system of life-giving oxygen.

Workers go to the drug store and get Gude's Pepto-Mangan when they feel weak and run down. They take it in either the liquid or the tablet form. That makes the blood rich and red and drives out the poisons. Life-giving oxygen, carried by the little red cells, renews the strength and builds up the entire system. Look for the name "Gude's Pepto-Mangan" on the package.—Advertisement.

Ulster To Stand Aloof

(Continued from Page One)

of the Anglo-Irish agreement, but after the formal opening and a brief discussion of the credentials of the plenipotentiaries at the London conference, went into secret session with the announcement that the public sitting would be resumed tomorrow.

President DeValera, who opened the proceedings, explained at some length the circumstances under which the plenipotentiaries of the Dail, who met the British representatives for the negotiations in London had been appointed. On October 7, he said, the plenipotentiaries had received instructions, the most important of which was that the complete text of the treaty should be submitted to Dublin and a reply awaited. That, he said, had not been done. It was always understood also, he declared, that ratifications by the Dail was essential. He invited a question with regard to the conduct of the negotiations. He said the question must be considered on its merits and should not be influenced by the mere accident of a difference of opinion in the cabinet or any other extraneous matters.

Reviewing the circumstances leading up to the appointment of the plenipotentiaries, Mr. DeValera said he had made it clear at the meeting of the Dail that the plenipotentiaries should have full plenary powers, but that whatever arrangement was reached would by submitted to the Dail for ratification. The cabinet, he declared, would not have sent any five men to negotiate a treaty which would bind the nation without some larger body representing the nation having an opportunity of criticising and reviewing it.

Mr. DeValera said his idea was that when the plenipotentiaries had arrived at an agreement in principle and had a rough copy of the document they were prepared to sign, they should have sent it to the cabinet. He could only say that when he did see the final text he could not see his way to sign and recommend it. This was a case of a difference of opinion between two bodies which would naturally arise and he was anxious that the difference of opinion should not interfere with the discussion of the treaty.

After Mr. DeValera had concluded, Arthur Griffith, head of the delegation to London, who with Michael Collins and other plenipotentiaries signed the peace agreement, rose to ask whether it was alleged that the plenipotentiaries had exceeded their instructions.

Mr. DeValara explained that the treaty was signed in the small hours of the morning after alterations had been made which the cabinet had not seen. To that extent, he said, the instructions had not been followed.

Michael Collins then asked that the final document agreed to in Dublin by the united Dail cabinet should be put side by side with the document signed in London by the plenipotentiaries. They did not sign that document as a treaty, he said, but on the understanding that all the signatories would recommend it to the Dail for acceptance.

Dr. White then moved a private session. Mr. DeValera said he thought the general question must be debated in public, but that the matter referred to ought to be discussed in private. Statements had just been made by delegates which were not facts, he said. Other members argued that the whole proceedings, with the exception of those touching upon military or financial secrets, should be made public.

Sentenced To The Chair

CLEVELAND, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press.)—The jury trying Dominic Benigno for the murder of W. C. Sly, returned a verdict of guilty of first degree murder without mercy this morning. Judge Dan B. Cull immediately sentenced Benigno to be electrocuted on April 27.

HEADS MOVIE EXHIBITORS

TOLEDO, Dec. 14.—Matin G. Smith, of Toledo, was elected president of the newly formed motion picture exhibitors organization, the Motion Picture Theater Owners of Ohio, at the closing session of a two day convention of photoplay exhibitors from all over the state here late last night. The body will be affiliated with the national organization.

The convention will reconvene in Cincinnati in January, at which time the constitution and by-laws of the organization will be adopted.

SIX DIE IN MINE

MORRISON, COLO.—Six men lost their lives, having been overcome by fire damp while fighting fire in the Satanic Mine near here.

U. S. Yielded To Japan And Has Recognized An Act Of The Nations' League

BY DAVID LAWRENCE
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 14—The United States has yielded to Japan and has recognized for the first time an act of the League of Nations.

That's the significance of the latest treaty just signed between the United States and Japan covering the island of Yap. Originally the League of Nations bestowed upon Japan a mandate or charter enabling her to control the island of Yap. The Wilson administration under Secretary Colby protested and so did Secretary Hughes. The latter contended for international control of the island. As it now develops, the Harding administration yielded to Japan the right to hold the mandate originally given by the League of Nations but asked for certain additional privileges with respect to radio and cable communications.

If the United States had been a member of the League of Nations when the mandates were distributed, the simple dissent on the part of this country would have been sufficient to prevent Japan from getting Yap and the island might have been internationalized. As it is, the League went ahead and gave Yap to Japan and the United States afterwards was obliged to carry on a long diplomatic battle to get certain valuable cable and radio privileges. In order to assure herself of the latter America was compelled to yield something to Japan and that happens to be the mandate itself.

Officials of this administration are not disposed to look upon the mandate as of any particular value because they feel confident the exceptions and provisions contained in the new treaty will safeguard American interests. On the other hand, in case of a dispute as to the management of Yap, America would have been left to wrangle it out with Japan alone if the four power pact governing all disputes with relation to Pacific islands had not been concluded. That's why the United States didn't sign the four power pact until the Yap agreement was reached.

In recognizing the mandate given by the League of Nations to Japan and noting certain exceptions, the United States has established under the Harding administration at least a precedent which will be called up again in future discussion of mandates around the world. Secretary Hughes recognizes what the league has done in distributing the mandates as an accomplished fact and is trying now merely to see to it that the United States doesn't suffer any discriminations under the mandate. He has made it a stipulation incidentally of the new Yap agreement that Japan must send a duplicate copy of her annual report on the administration of Yap to the United States. The original copy is of course required by the League of Nations which retains the right to transfer a mandate at any time that it thinks a country is not administering properly an island or territory under mandate. The treaty of Versailles gave the principal and associated powers the right to dispose of Germany's overseas possessions through the mandate system and it is solely because the United States as a result of objections to other parts of the League of Nations covenant failed to join the league that numerous legal tangles are arising as to America's rights. Some of the legal experts contend that if America had joined the league there would have been no necessity for a Yap treaty or a four power treaty and the United States would have been assured the moral support of not merely three other nations but forty others in any disputes arising in the Pacific.

Much interest attaches here as to whether the new four power pact is really in conflict with the League of Nations covenant. Under the provisions of that document, Great Britain, France and Japan must submit the four power pact to the approval of the League before it can be considered as ratified. Little objection if any is anticipated because the league authorities themselves approved the famous three power treaty concluded between France, Great Britain and the United States whereby "unprovoked aggression" by Germany was to insure the military aid of those three countries. In principle the new pact is very much the same although specific provision for military aid in case of aggressive action is not made.

The prediction that the United States would have her hands full in conserving her legal rights as a result of the European war if she made a separate peace with Germany is being fulfilled in the opinion of many international lawyers here who see in the four power pact as well as the new Yap treaty only the beginning of a host of special treaties with other nations with relation to mandates, reparations, and other questions over which the League of Nations has jurisdiction but which must be settled separately by America because of her refusal to enter the League. It fulfills another prediction made by officials of the Harding administration early this year namely that no matter how many tangles developed, the United States would not accept the covenant of the League but would pursue its own policy on every question or dispute that arose as a result of her war-time association with the allies as against Germany. Although Democrats profess to see America slowly entering the League of Nations by the back door, the Harding enthusiasts maintain that Secretary Hughes' legal maneuvers are drawing the ship of state safely away from the shoals of the league.

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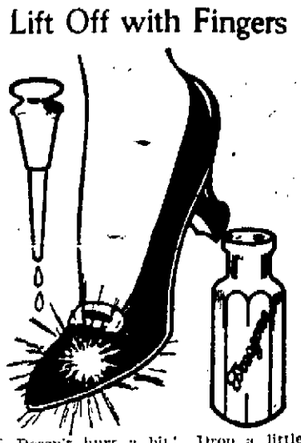

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Liquor Lid Clamped Down

AKRON, O., December 14.—The liquor lid was clamped securely in Akron again today, following the second annual county clean-up of bootleggers in which 56 men and three women were arrested yesterday on charges of violation of the prohibition laws.

Twenty federal and state enforcement agents worked with County Prosecutor Doyle and 80 deputy sheriffs and city police in the raids. Of the 59 arrested, only seven were American born.

Federal inspectors declared that the quality of the liquor seized in Akron was the worst they had ever found. One investigator reported that he had been forced to use a stomach pump after trying one brand of "poison."

PLEADS GUILTY TO ROBBERY

CINCINNATI, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Pete Voelker, said to have been the ring leader in the theft of jewels worth $75,000 from the home of Colonel William Cooper Procter, today entered a plea of guilty to the charge of robbery. Judge John A. Caldwell deferred sentence. Voelker previously had pleaded not guilty.

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Japan Insists On Retention Of New Battleship Mutsu; Powers May Compromise Point

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Settlement of "one very small point" was said to remain as the only condition to Japan's final acceptance of the American 5-5-3 naval ration as the naval "big three" of the arms conference prepared to hold another meeting today to consider the matter. With the ratio question thus brought to a decisive stage, the conference also was prepared today to press its discussion of questions relating to China at another session of the Far Eastern committee.

Japan's conditional acceptance of the ratio basis of the naval limitation plan was communicated by Admiral Baron Kato informally yesterday to Mr. Hughes and Mr. Balfour. It was coupled, however, with a request to substitute the new battleship Mutsu for one of the old 12-inch gun ships specified for retention under the Hughes proposal. First considered at a meeting of the full American delegation, the Japanese decision later was taken up at another meeting of the "big three" attended by American naval advisors and the matter was declared after that conference to have been brought to a stage when final agreement by Japan rested upon the settlement of only one minor point.

As the situation stood today, both the American and British groups, it is indicated, are opposed to Japan's retention of the Mutsu or any change in the ships specified to be retained. They are expected to yield, however, if the Japanese are insistent although only on the counter proposal that the United States on its part retain two new substitute battleships otherwise to be scrapped, and that the ten year holiday be modified to give Great Britain opportunity to build two ships, any agreement agreed on to provide for substantial adherence to the 5-5-3 ratio.

Meanwhile, in another branch of the conference negotiations, that relating to Shantung, progress seems to have been arrested, temporarily at least, by misunderstanding between the Japanese and Chinese delegates as to their respective positions regarding financial settlements involved in Japanese withdrawal from the Kiao-Chow leasehold. The question, however, which will be taken up at another session of the Shantung conference today, is not regarded by other delegates as likely to prove a cause of serious delay in the negotiations.

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Owing to the tremendous crowd which attended Santa's arrival on last Saturday, there were hundreds of small children who got crowded out. Numerous requests from parents of children not yet of school age have caused us to provide this special visit of Santa so that the little tots would have an opportunity to see and talk with him. Bring the children Thursday afternoon and let them see Santa Claus in Toyland.

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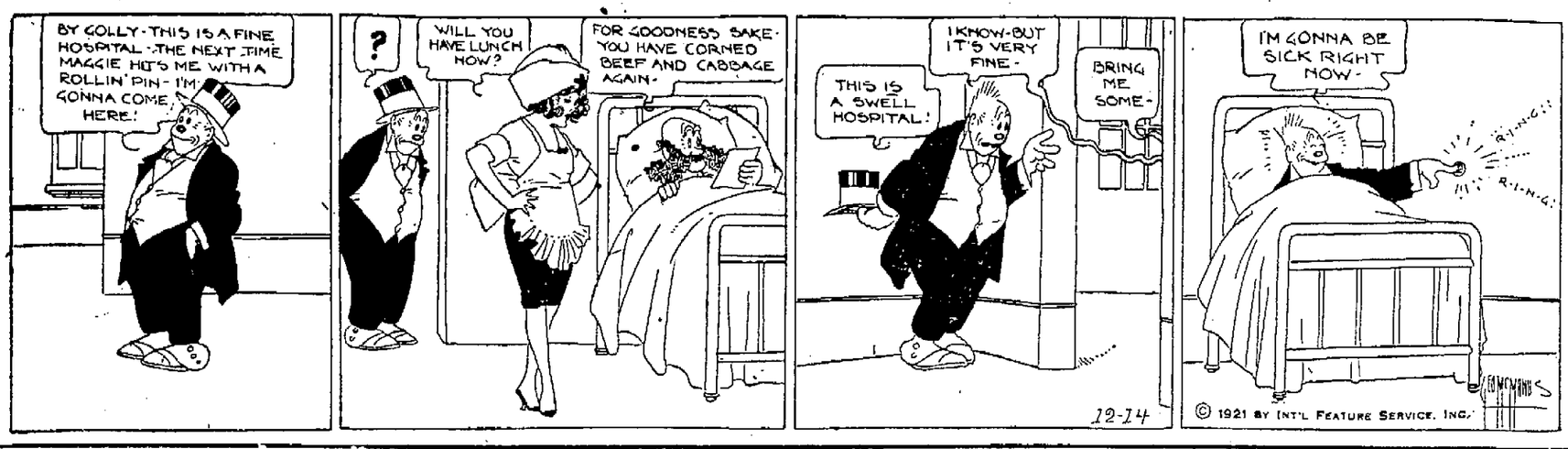

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NO NEW CLUES IN MURDER MYSTERY

Search for the slayers of the man whose unidentified body remains in the Lynn morgue goes on unchecked, but so far no tangible clue has been obtained. However officials are not slackening their speed and are hopeful of unraveling the mystery.

Sheriff Rickey is spending most of his time looking into the perplexing phases of the murder and is confident that in due time the mystery will be cleared up.

He is confident that it was perpetrated by two men who lured the dead man to the West Side. He is bending his efforts to learn the identity of the men last seen with the dead man.

While hundreds continue to view the body in the Lynn morgue its identification remains a mystery. Coroner Hendrickson says it will be held for a few days as he believes that some one will come along and identify the body.

Canterberry Released

The Irontonian this morning said: "Charles Canterberry, who was arrested by Sheriff Dement and Deputy Wilson Monday, on request of Portsmouth authorities, who suspected him of having knowledge of the unidentified man murdered at Portsmouth on Dec. 4th, was released yesterday by Sheriff Dement.

The sheriff turned the man loose after the failure of the Portsmouth authorities to come after him or to present sufficient evidence to warrant him being held.

IN TROUBLE IN MID-OCEAN

BOSTON, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The steamer Western Hero is in trouble in mid-ocean, according to radiograms received here today. With fuel almost exhausted and food supplies nearly gone, the steamer sent word that she was in need of immediate assistance. The position given was about five hundred miles northeast of St. Miliels, where she was last reported as having stopped on her voyage from Antwerp for Galveston.

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Lauffer Heads Brotherhood

Election of officers was the main work before the Brotherhood of the Evangelical church last night.

It resulted in the selection of the following officers: President, Otto Lauffer; 1st vice President and Chairman of Devotional Committee, P. F. Tritscheller; 2nd Vice President and Chairman of the Benevolent Committee, John Richter; 3rd Vice-President and Chairman of the Membership Committee, Hoyt Smith; 4th Vice-President and Chairman of the Entertainment Committee, Henry Hensge; Recording Secretary, Arthur Kugelman; Financial Secretary, John Neu; Treasurer, Wm. F. Blankemeyer.

The new officers will be installed at the January meeting of the Brotherhood.

Fred Lorey is a new member of the organization.

Last night's meeting was largely attended and considerable interest was shown.

Accused Of Stealing Cow; Says He Had Planned To Steal It Again

A man who the authorities have sought for some time was apprehended early Wednesday morning, when Deputy Sheriffs Frank Bennett and Wanzer Rickey took into custody Clinton, alias Ananias Swords, 24 years old, on a warrant charging him with grand larceny in connection with the theft of a cow from a West Side farmer some weeks ago. Swords, who is regarded as a desperate character, was found hiding in a hay mow at Hinkley Hollow, back of New Boston, by the officers who forced him to surrender at the point of their guns. Swords sold the cow to Dr. D. N. Hopkins before stealing it and he told the officers that he had intended stealing the animal back from the physician after he had delivered the bovine and received his pay. The prisoner escaped from the Mansfield Reformatory several months ago and he may be returned to that prison without being required to answer for stealing the cow.

DISORDERS AT MINE

WHEELING, W. VA., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Efforts to open the Panama coal mine at Moundsville, near here, as an open shop were attended today by scenes of disorder when police were called to force back a crowd of alleged union sympathizers from the property. A number of women were in the crowd and stones were thrown, but no one was hurt. A number of shots were said to have been fired in the vicinity of the mine during the night.

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Moonshine Stills Raided

On a visit to Hinkley Hollow back of New Boston, Tuesday night, Deputy Sheriff Frank Bennett arrested Minis Jarvis, 28, Bruce Horsely, 18, and Herbert Rollins, 24, for unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor, after uncovering two moonshine stills and 300 gallons of mash in process of fermentation. The officer seized the stills, one of which was of 12 gallons capacity of the copper wash boiler type and the other of the zinc wash tub pattern, and destroyed the mash. The prisoners were brought to the county jail where they are held to meet charges.

Treat For The Y. M. C. A.

The community meeting at the railroad Y. M. C. A. on Thursday evening at six-thirty o'clock will be in charge of the celebrated Brady family, Rev. C. W. Brady will give a short talk and his two sons, who are remarkable juvenile violinists, will be the musical features of the meeting.

The community gatherings are growing rapidly in numbers and interest and they will be continued through the winter. They are short, informal and varied. The illustrated lectures and talks are very much enjoyed and these will be interspersed at frequent intervals.

The public is cordially invited to these services.

Milk Wagon Drivers Strike Ends

CLEVELAND, O., December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The six weeks' strike of approximately eight hundred Cleveland milk wagon drivers may come to an end today. A settlement proposal accepted by the strikers by voting early this morning is to be offered the company officials today for ratification by the special city council committee and officers of the Cleveland Federation of Labor.

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Roy McElhaney, for many years a resident of this city, is now manager of the Guyan Hardware company's store in Huntington and the firm is doing a good business. His associate is William Pirrung, who for many years has operated the leading hardware store in Williamson, W. Va. Mr. McElhaney has a half interest in the Huntington store. Mr. Pirrung is well known here as he also formerly resided in Portsmouth.

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Meeting of the Grotto, Wednesday, December 14th, 8 P. M.

MASONIC NOTICE

Regular meeting Western Sun Lodge, No. 91, F. & A. M., Wheelersburg, Ohio, Wednesday, Dec. 14, 7:30 P. M. Installation of officers. Refreshments.

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WANTED — Government Positions. Men, 18, or over. Wanted for Railway Mail, Postoffice. Examination soon. Salary, $130 month. Experience not required. Particulars Free. Write G. W. Robbins, Civil Service Expert, formerly with Government, 87 Pope Bldg., Washington, D. C. 13-3t

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WANTED—Give your order for special Christmas trees delivered to house. Phone Sciotoville 156-Y. 12-11t

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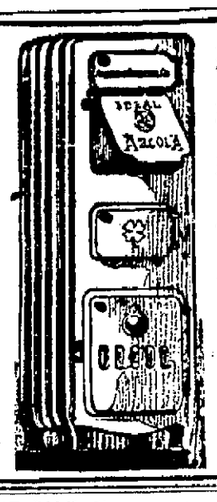

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FOR SALE—Bedroom suite and two rockers. 536 2nd. 11-25-tf

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FOR RENT—2 room cottage, cellar, water, gas, rear 613 8th Street. Phone 635. 12-3t

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420 Masonic Temple Portsmouth, Ohio.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 14—Oils gave promise at the opening of today's stock market of extending their many advances of the previous day. Independent steels, also equipments and utilities, were active and higher. Rails and coppers eased slightly. Standard Oil of N. J., California Petroleum and Pan-American "B" were 1 to 2½ points higher. Baldwin Locomotive, Crucible Steel and Peoples Gas rose 1 to 2 points. Motors, rubbers and shippings were firm. British, French, Italian and German exchange rates rallied moderately from yesterday's final quotations.

Other domestic and foreign issues, notably the California group, were included in the further advance of oils during the morning. Oils became somewhat unsettled at noon, however, on a sharp reaction in Mexican Petroleum, that shares falling 2 points under yesterday's close. Coppers and affiliated issues were in further demand, also independent steels, equipments, chemicals, textiles and leathers. Lack of public interest in the more important rails and industrials provoked selling in United States Steel and secondary rails, notably St. Paul preferred and Erie common and first preferred. Recent activity in liberty bonds was resumed, the third 4¼'s repeating their record quotation of the year. Call money opened at 5 per cent.

Speculative issues embracing the oil, copper, motor and kindred groups featured today's active and broad stock market. High class transportations and industrials were not materially changed. Sales approximated 800,000 shares.

The close was firm. Liberty issues strengthened, but rail bonds gave way to further pressure.

NEW YORK STOCKS CLOSING PRICES

American Beet Sugar 27⅞
American 35⅛
American Car and Foundry 148
American Locomotive 98½
American Smelting and Refg 46½
American Sumatra Tobacco 30
American T. and T. 117
Anaconda Copper 49
Atchison 90½
Atlantic Gulf 32⅛
Baltimore and Ohio 35¼
Baldwin Locomotive 96¼
Bethlehem Steel "B" 59
Central Leather 31¾
Chesapeake and Ohio 55½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 30⅝
Corn Products 94
Crucible Steel 68
General Motors 11
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 31½
Goodrich Co. 38
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 64½
International Paper 54
Kennecott Copper 27
Mexican Petroleum 119½
New York Central 73⅛
Norfolk and Western 96⅜
Northern Pacific 78⅝
Pennsylvania 33
Reading 71¼
Rep. Iron and Steel 53
Sinclair Oil and Refining 23¼
Southern Pacific 79½
Southern Railway 18¾
Studebaker Corporation 80¾
Texas Co. 47¼
Tobacco Products 60⅞
Union Pacific 126⅝
United States Rubber 56
United States Steel 83⅞
Utah Copper 65
Westinghouse Electric 51⅛
Willys Overland 6
Pure Oil 39⅜

CLOSING PRICES ON OHIO STOCK

COLUMBUS, Dec. 14—Cities service common 2.08½@11.13½; pfd. 58½@58⅝.

Pure Oil common 39⅛.

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CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 14—Although wheat prices displayed a little firmness at the opening today, the market soon weakened owing largely to sales here against cash purchases in the southwest. Holiday feeling and the presence of ample immediate supplies counted as additional bearish factors. Besides, all the wheat taken yesterday for Europe turned out to be Canadian. Opening quotations, which varied from unchanged figures to ½c higher, with May 1.11@ to 1.12 and then a slight rally.

Slowness of domestic demand had a bearish influence on corn. After opening unchanged to ⅜c lower, May 52½ to 52¾ the market continued to sag.

The close was unsettled ⅛c to 1c @1 1/16c net lower, with May 1.10⅞ to 1.11 and July 1.01½ to 1.01⅝.

Oats declined with other cereals, starting at ⅛c off to a shade advance, May 37½ to 37@⅜ and then weakening all around.

Provisions were dull but strength in the hog market tended to avert any material setback.

Prices closed easy, at 3½c@6½c net decline, with May 52⅝@½ to 52½.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, Dec. 14—Wheat cash and Dec. 1.15; May 1.22½.
Corn cash 53.
Oats cash 39½.
Barley 63.
Rye, No. 2, 85.
Clover seed, prime cash and Dec. 12.05; Jan. 12.60; Feb. 12.65; Mar. 12.55.
Alsike, prime cash and Dec. 11.00; Feb. 11.15; Mar. 11.20.
Timothy, prime cash and Dec. 3.05; Jan. 3.10; Feb. 3.15; Mar. 3.20.

CINCINNATI GRAIN

CINCINNATI, Dec. 14—Wheat 1.14 @1.23.
Corn 53@54.
Oats steady 34@39.
Rye steady 83@84.
Potatoes home grown No. 1 4.00@4.50 per bbl; No. 2 2.25@2.50 per bbl; Michigan 3.50@3.75 per sack 150 pounds; Ohio 2.50@2.75 per sack 120 pounds.
Hay 15.00@22.00.

CLOSING GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 14—Wheat: May 1.10¼; July 1.01½.
Corn: May 52⅞; July 54⅛.
Oats: May 37½; July 38.
Pork: Jan. 14.75.
Lard: Jan. 8.52; May 8.95.
Ribs: Jan. 7.30; May 7.75.

CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 14—Hogs: Receipts 6,500; strong to 25c higher; heavies 7.00@7.50; packers and butchers 7.75; medium 7.75@8.00; stags 4.00@5.00; heavy fat sows 5.00@6.25; light shippers 8.25; pigs, 110 pounds down 7.00@8.25.

Cattle: Receipts 1,000; slow and weak; steers, good to choice 6.50@8.50; fair to good 5.50@6.50; common to fair 4.00@5.50; heifers, good to choice 6.50@8.50; fair to good 5.50@6.50; common to fair 4.00@5.50; heifers good to choice 6.50@8.00; fair to good 5.00@6.50; common to fair 3.50@5.00; cows, good to choice 4.50@5.50; fair to good 3.75@4.50; cutters 2.75@3.50.

Calves steady; good to choice 12.00@12.50; fair to good 9.00@12.00; common and large 4.00@8.50.

Sheep: Receipts 1,500; steady; good to choice 3.50@4.00; fair to good 2.00@3.50; common 1.00@1.50; bucks 2.00@3.00.

Lambs steady to 50c lower; good to choice 11.00@11.50; fair to good 8.50@11.00; seconds 7.50@8.00; common 5.00@6.00.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Dec. 14—Cattle: Receipts 8,000; beef steers steady to 25c higher; top yearlings early 10.50; bulk beef steers 6.50@8.00; she stock steady to 15c higher; bulls, stockers and feeders 15c to 25c higher; veal calves 25c to 50c higher.

Hogs: Receipts 20,000; fairly active 10c to 15c higher than yesterday's average; top 7.90 for 150 pound average; bulk 190 pounds hogs and up 6.95@7.25; pigs mostly 10c higher; bulk desirable 7.50; some at 7.60.

Sheep: Receipts 16,000; generally steady; good fat lambs mostly around 11.00; some held higher; choice kind extremely scarce; sheep slow; no early sales; come-back feeder lambs early 10.25.

Produce Markets

CLEVELAND PRODUCE

CLEVELAND, Dec. 14—Butter: Extra in tubs 51½@52; prints 52½@53; extra firsts 50½@51; firsts 49½@50; seconds 41½@42.

Eggs: Fresh gathered northern extras 58; extra firsts 57; Ohio firsts, new cases 55; do old cases 54; western firsts new cases 53.

Live poultry: Heavy fowls 23@26; spring ducks 25@28; turkeys 44@45; live geese 23@26.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 14—Butter lower; creamery extras 43; firsts 34@41; seconds 32@33; standards 37.

Eggs lower; receipts 3,979 cases; firsts 48@49; ordinary firsts 42@44; miscellaneous 45@47; refrigerator firsts 37@38.

SUGAR

NEW YORK, Dec. 14—Raw sugar market quiet and no sales reported. Futures quieter, five points lower to four net higher. Refined prices unchanged at 5.20 for fine granulated. No transactions in refined futures.

Sugar futures closed steady; approximate sales 2750 tons: Jan. 2.26; Mar. 2.23; May 2.33; July 2.46.

GASOLINE & ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, Dec. 14—Alcohol, denatured, 43; gasoline tank wagon 23; seventy per cent 23.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 14—Liberty bonds closed: 3½'s 95.34; first 4's 97.10 bid; second 4's 96.86; first 4¼'s 97.30; second 4¼'s 97.00; third 4¼'s 98.18; fourth 4¼'s 97.32; victory 3¾'s 100.02; victory 4¾'s 100.04.

COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 14—Spot cotton steady; middling 18.00.

Cotton futures closed firm: Dec. 17.70; Jan. 17.48; Mar. 17.48; May 17.28; July 16.90.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 Coffee: Rio, No. 7, 9 7-16; futures steady: Mar. 8.82; July 8.72.

MONEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 14—Call money easy; high 5; low 4½; ruling rate 5; closing bid 4; offered at 4½; last loan 4½; call loans against acceptances 4½. Time loans firm; 60 days 5@5¼; 90 days 5@5¼; 6 months 5@5¼. Prime mercantile paper 5@5¼.

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Confesses To Killing School Teacher

WAUKON, IOWA, December 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Earl Throst, 26, confessed early today, according to officers, that he beat to death Miss Inga Magnuson, pretty 20-year-old school teacher, whose body was found Monday evening in the basement of the country school house in which she taught. They were to have been married, Throst was quoted as having said, "and another man talked her out of it."

"We qureleed in the school room," Throst was quoted. "The children all had gone. Inga was alone. She went to the basement to fix the fire for the night. I followed and we qureleed again. I picked up a stick and struck her over the head. She turned around and I hit her two or three times. She did not fight back. Then I left."

OBITUARY

Mrs. Sarah Russell Funeral

The funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Russell, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Blanche Yarnall, 1023 Fifteenth street, Monday afternoon, were held from the home at two o'clock with Rev. C. E. Scott Inghams in charge. The funeral services were private. Burial was made in Greenlawn.

Mrs. Hobart Wilson

Mrs. Hobart Wilson, formerly Miss Lola Brohart, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brohart of south Fourth street at 2:45 this morning.—Irontonian.

Mrs. Bessie Plunket

Word was received Tuesday by Mrs. J. F. Baldridge of 1051 Eighth street of the death of her sister, Mrs. Bessie Plunkett who died Sunday at her home in Pittsburgh. The deceased was 33 years of age and died after a six day's illness of grip. A husband and five children survive.

William Rodgers

Death about five o'clock Tuesday claimed William Rodgers, the final summons coming at his home in Buena Vista. He had been ill for sometime with Bright's disease, death being caused by gangrene following Bright's disease. He was a patient at the Hempstead hospital about ten days being removed to his home Thanksgiving day.

Mr. Rodgers who came to Buena Vista from Adams county several years ago was about 67 years of age. His wife died four years ago near Rome, Adams county. Mr. Rodgers was a farmer and was active until his recent illness.

He is survived by two step-daughters Misses Hazel and Mabel Shaw of Buena Vista, and a sister Mrs. D. M. Blair of 231 Front street. Mrs. Blair had been at his bedside for the past two months assisting in caring for him.

Mr. Rodgers was well known in Buena Vista and vicinity and had made many friends there since taking up his residence there.

Prof. F. J. Metzler

Relatives have received word of the death of Prof. F. J. Metzler, which occurred in Minneapolis, Minn., on December 10th, after a short illness with blood poisoning. Prof. Metzler was teacher in a college in Minneapolis. He was well known in Portsmouth, having married Miss Geneva Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Adams, of 2602 Robinson avenue, a few years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Adams are spending the winter in St. Augustine, Florida.

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LOST—One tire and rim somewhere between Otway and Wamsleyville, Monday. Notify Walter Thissen, Phone 1322-R, Reward. 14-3t

LOST—Black and tan hound. Phone 1975-L. Reward. W. T. Gray, 1407 Center. 2-2t

LOST—Deed. Finder call 1404-X. 14-1t

LOST—Red and white hound. Phone 1495. Reward. 14-3t

FOUND—Lady's coat on Chillicothe street. Owner can have same by paying for ad. and apply 720 Chillicothe. 14-1t

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Ohio Valley Bank of Portsmouth, Ohio, for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting will be held at the office of said Bank, 59 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, Ohio on Wednesday, the 11th day of January 1922. POLLS OPEN FROM 12 M to 2 P. M.

H. S. ADAMS,
Cashier

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Portsmouth Whistle Bottling Company will be held at the office of said company on the 28th day of December, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of considering and acting upon a proposed agreement for the sale of the entire property and assets of said The Portsmouth Whistle Bottling Company.

E. N. REINHARDT, President.
J. A. LEGGETT, Secretary
Dec. 14-2 Weds.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT

A. Dudley Yates, whose whereabouts is unknown, will take notice that on the 1st day of December, 1921, Bertha Yates filed her petition against A. Dudley Yates, in the Common Pleas Court, of Scioto County, Ohio, being cause No. 1569, praying for a divorce from the said A. Dudley Yates, on the grounds of extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty.

The said cause will be for hearing on or after the 28th day of January, 1922.

BERTHA YATES,
Dec. 14-6 Weds.

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NEWS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

JACKSON

Mrs. James Fry of Portsmouth came up to attend the funeral of Mrs. Frances Matthews. Mrs. Fry will be remembered as Miss Mary May, a former Jackson resident.

Rev. J. C. Jackson conducted the funeral services for Mrs. Matthews on Monday morning from her late home on South street. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews and son, Theron, Miss Gertrude Matthews, and Mr. A. Holcomb of Portsmouth; Dr. and Mrs. Rosendale and father, Mr. Harris, from Fostoria, and Mr. and Mrs. Keer Butler of Vinton. The son, Avery Matthews of Portland, Oregon, was not able to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Smith and daughter, Mary, attended the funeral of Mrs. Smith's father, Mr. Thomas Blake on Saturday. He died at his home near Beaver, after an illness of many months from cancer of the stomach. Mr. Blake was seventy-one years of age and the father of fourteen children, eleven of whom, with his wife survive.

A. L. Ervin and W. O. Michael went up to Columbus on Sunday and brought back with them on Monday, Mrs. Edvin and Mrs. Michael and little son Robert Lee.

Quiller Scott is confined to his home on South street from a slight illness.

Mrs. Emma Given returned to New York on Sunday, leaving immediately after the funeral services for her brother, Charles D. Jones. Her daughter, Thelma, gave her opening concert on Monday evening.

Dan Armstrong came down from Columbus and spent the week-end with his mother and attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, Charles D. Jones, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mayfield will spend the rest of the year with her mother, Mrs. Charles Jones, returning to their positions after New Year.

Mrs. Walter Brown, president, entertained the Study club on Monday afternoon with a Christmas meeting. It was in the nature of a club sing, the members singing the Christmas hymns. Mrs. Hugh Schellenger gave the story, "How It Happened," written by Kate Langley Bosher, in a charming way, a beautiful story, beautifully told. Refreshments of brick ice cream with a tiny Christmas tree in the center, coffee and cake were served at the close of the afternoon.

The Woman's Literary club held its Christmas meeting on Monday with Mrs. Quiller Scott as the pleasing hostess. The quotation for the day, "All hail the yuletide greetings with mistletoe and holly, May fortune smile upon our way and make our Christmas jolly," was carried out by the program. Mrs. L. T. Fenning and Mrs. W. C. Claar opened the afternoon by singing a group of Christmas carols, Mrs. Claar following with the solo, "Deck the Halls With Boughs of Holly."

Mrs. John Newvahner gave the reading of the delightful little Christmas story, "The Blossoming Rod," Mrs. Fenning singing "There's A Song in the Air," and Mrs. Claar "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night." Mrs. Benner Jones read a group of Christmas poems, some very familiar and some very modern, but all very seasonable. Mrs. Fenning followed this with a Christmas lullaby, at the close of which she and Mrs. Claar sang a surprise number to the club members, by wishing them a "Merry, Merry Christmas." Many things of an interesting nature were discussed during the business hour and plans laid for future work. The hostess had her home most suitably decorated and served refreshments in keeping with the approaching Christmas season as this was the last meeting for the year 1921. Mrs. Hiram Stephenson will open the New Year.

PIKETON

Otto Stirr and family of Portsmouth spent Sunday here, guests of Mrs. Stirr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foster.

The new building which is under construction here to be used as a post office is nearing completion and will be ready for occupation in a short time.

Mrs. Andrew Miller and daughter Lana who have resided for a number of years on a farm near Sargent, have removed to their new home here which they recently purchased from T. J. Hines.

A. Kauffman and family of New Boston passed through Piketon Sunday en route to Columbus. On the return trip Sunday evening they suffered a break down and were obliged to remain over night at Circleville. Mr. Kauffman recently opened an up-to-date clothing store in the Bateman building on Main street this village.

Mrs. Mary Machlen who has been seriously ill at the home of her daughter Mrs. Fred J. Kress, is improving.

Wm. Farmer, tie inspector for the D. T. & I. Railway spent the week end at his home here.

HAMDEN

Messrs. James, Charles and Tom McWilliams, Burt Morris, son Cecil, and Chas. Frakes returned home from Trimble, O., where they have been employed for the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilbur were the guests of her mother in Wellston Saturday evening.

Miss Bernice Stephenson, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stephenson, who was taken to McKinley hospital to have her foot straightened account infantile paralysis, is home again after having plaster cast removed and is getting along nicely.

Basketball

McArthur girls' basketball team is to play the Hamden girls' team and McArthur Freshmen are to play Hamden Freshmen at the School Auditorium here Friday night.

Beaver H. S. basketball team vs. Hamden H. S. at Auditorium here Saturday night.

Mrs. Luch Bierhoop has returned home from New Lexington and Columbus after a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Prof. and Mrs. S. Earl Craft spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Steele near Creola.

Mrs. Alta McCormick of Columbus was the over Sunday guest of Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Ray.

JASPER

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jennings and son Robert of Columbus and Mrs. H. H. Truesdale of Jackson were called here by the death of the late J. W. Dewey.

Miss Violet McClay of Piketon was the guest of Miss Florence Lucas Monday.

Bob Willson is ill.

Mrs. G. R. Cutler has returned from Man, West Virginia.

Misses Ruth McCoy and Dessie Birkhimer are now employed in Waverly.

Mrs. N. W. Cutler spent Thursday at Coopersville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Birkhimer were Riverdale visitors Sunday.

Mrs. G. R. Cutler is visiting relatives in Circleville.

Miss Marie McClay, teacher of Yankee Hill and Carlton Foster of Tennyson were married in Waverly Saturday.

Miss Audrey McFarland is ill with the mumps.

OTWAY

George Walsh was a Monday visitor in Portsmouth.

Miss Grace Younker has returned to her home in Otway after a few days visit in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crabtree have returned from a honey-moon trip to Niagara Falls. They will make their home for a time with Mr. Crabtree's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fermin Brown have been the guests of Wm. Brown of Otway for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackburn were shopping in Portsmouth Saturday.

Carey Arnold has sold his farm located on Mt. Hope. He will buy property in Peebles.

Roy Blackburn has sold his flour mill at Otway.

Harley Thacker is suffering with a sprained ankle.

Roy Steele was at Otway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walsh will start for Florida the first of the year. They will spend the remainder of the winter there.

HIGHLAND BEND

Mrs. William Morris of Springfield has returned home after a delightful week's visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dressler.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Music were business visitors to Portsmouth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ketter and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hall entertained Sunday the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ketter and children, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bolander and son Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beloat and children, Florence, Billy and Mary Kathryn, and George Ketter of Sciotoville and Arthur Ketter of Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bowan and family of Portsmouth are moving to the Alsace farm.

The following friends and relatives were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eck: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reinhardt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eck, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reinhardt and Mrs. Wineburg, Mrs. Dundaf and daughter, Miss Ruth, Walter Hamm, and Miss Madeline Eck.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoburg had as guests Sunday her parents Mr. and Mrs. Genus Tibbs of New Boston.

Thurman Smith spent Sunday with F. E. Kirk.

Elmer Lawson spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson, of Frost, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bean of Leavenworth, Ind., have returned home after a several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kirk. Mr. and Mrs. Bean were former residents of Highland and made many friends here.

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SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

Mr. Roy Frick entertained a circle of friends at his home at Camp Chesa last evening. At a late hour a luncheon of chilli con carne, ham sandwiches, coffee, pickles and celery were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Rehs, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bell, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Scott, Mrs. Zora Todd and daughter Bess, Louise Rehs, Ethel and Octa Snyder, Jake Smith, Ott Ruth, John Wohler, Harry Scott, Milton Swickert and the hostess, Roy Frick.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Swick and son Bobbie of this place were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones of New Boston.

Mrs. Chester Conklin shopped in Portsmouth today.

Mrs. Caroline Dressler entertained with a twelve o'clock dinner Friday in honor of Mrs. Morris of Springfield. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dressler of Highland Bend, Mrs. Wm. Morris, Mrs. Caroline Dressler and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, George Ketter and Arthur Ketter of Ironton.

Elmer Lawson of Highland Bend spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson of Frost, Ky.

Mrs. William Shaner shopped in Portsmouth today.

D. D. Porter of Long Meadow was the recent guest of friends in Highland Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ketter and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hall entertained Sunday the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ketter and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bolander and son Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beloat and children, Billie, Florence and Mary Kathryn.

WHEELERSBURG

Elmore Junior is the name given to the little son born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Ravensburg (Mabel Hall).

Mrs. Leroy Smith is ill at her home on Pine Creek.

Little Dorothy Gleim, who has been ill, is improving nicely.

Mrs. J. B. Haggard of Ashland, Ky., is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Haggard.

Mrs. William Gose, who has been ill, is improving nicely.

Large crowds are attending the revival services at the M. E. church. Everybody welcome.

Dr. Karl D. Reicheldorfer announces the opening of an office at Wheelersburg, Ohio, where he will be engaged in the general practice of medicine.—advertisement. 12-7-tf

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NEW BOSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Flack of Harrisonville avenue entertained with a twelve o'clock dinner yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shoemaker and Miss Lola Colegrove of Minford.

Mrs. Lewis Curry of Ohio avenue and Mrs. John Tackett of Oak street were guests last evening of Mrs. William Wheeler of Cedar street.

The little daughter born recently to Mr. and Mrs. G. Payton of Harrisonville avenue has been named Mildred.

Nora, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Oliver of Cedar street, who has been ill, is improving nicely.

Thelma Shreeves of Cedar street has resumed her studies at the local school after a several days' illness.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Immanuel Baptist church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Wheeler, and Mrs. J. E. Shreeves of Cedar street.

There will be prayer meeting this evening at the Cedar Street Christian church. All members are asked to be present.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Immanuel Baptist church will meet tomorrow at the church to quilt.

The little folks of the Immanuel Baptist church will meet tomorrow evening after school at the church to practice.

The Guiding Stars and the Boy Scouts of the Immanuel Baptist church will meet Friday evening at six o'clock at the church to practice.

The W. O. W. will meet tomorrow evening in regular session at Davis hall on Gallia avenue.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. will meet Friday evening at Davis hall on Gallia avenue, all members are urged to be present as important business will be transacted.

Mrs. Chester Staten of Cedar street, who is ill, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Calvin Smith of North Moreland Addition, was the guest yesterday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kopp of Pine street.

Mrs. James Stump of Sterling avenue shopped in Portsmouth today.

Mrs. Fred Slaughter and son John and Mrs. J. E. Henry of Gallia avenue shopped in Portsmouth today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Canter of Oak street, entertained with a twelve o'clock dinner Sunday. Miss Lillian Strickland, Edith Shreeves, Helen McDonald, Roberta Allbaugh, and Roy and Arthur Canter.

The official board of the Immanuel Baptist church met last evening at the parsonage and transacted their regular business. Those present were Mr. John Caulley, Mr. Charles Coburn, Mr. Dennis Stevens, Mr. James Clark, Mr. Clinton Rose, Mrs. Lewis Sartin and Mrs. William Jenkins.

Miss Flossie Beasley of Rhodes avenue is the guest of relatives at Lucasville.

Mr. J. C. Kopp of Pine street who was injured a few days ago at the steel plant is improving slowly.

Mrs. William Albrecht of North Moreland Addition of North Moreland Addition shopped in Portsmouth today.

Mrs. Fred Slaughter and son John of Columbus were the guests yesterday afternoon of her sister Mrs. R. J. Baselip of Rhodes avenue.

Ruby, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denver Smith of Grace street, who has been seriously ill is improving nicely.

Mrs. John Caulley of Cedar street, who has been ill is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jones of Rhodes avenue had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Swick and baby son Bobbie of Sciotoville.

Mr. and Mrs. James McIntyre of Gallia avenue are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby son born to them this morning.

Mrs. Earl Dodge and daughter Ruth of Gallia avenue were guests yesterday afternoon of Mrs. W. D. Lewis of Cedar street.

LATEST MODELS

Of BRUNSWICK Phonographs will arrive Wednesday or Thursday and can be seen at the BRUNSWICK headquarters, Bradford's Music Store, 824 Gallia St.

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WEST SIDE.

The contest between the Reds and Blues of the Pond Run M. E. Sunday school is becoming very enthusiastic. They have more than doubled the attendance. Last Sunday there were one hundred and fifty-five present.

The Bible class of the Pond Run M. E. church, which is in charge of Mrs. Mayme Erwin, teacher of Pond Run school, is progressing very nicely. They meet on Sunday evening at 7 p. m. at the church. Sunday Rev. Petrie of Turkey Creek was leader of the Bible service.

The Buena Vista M. E. Sunday school is preparing a Xmas entertainment for X-mas eve.

Mrs. William Tipton and daughter, Miss Alvena Tipton, of Buena Vista pike, were shopping and guests of relatives and friends in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Miss Mary Seidell of Buena Vista was shopping and guests of friends in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Frank Turner and daughter of Carey's Run were visitors in Portsmouth Wednesday.

Miss E. Pyles of Friendship, who has employment in Cleveland, is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Mary Pyles, and other relatives.

Albert Turner and daughter, Miss Ethel Turner, of Buena Vista pike, were visitors in Portsmouth Tuesday.

G. A. Flagg of Buena Vista was a business visitor in Portsmouth this week.

Lafayette Kirk, a farmer of near McGaw, who has been suffering with rheumatism, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jordan of Buena Vista pike, were week-end guests of friends and relatives at Carr's, Ky.

William M. Shively of Friendship was a guest Tuesday of his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Shively, of 1507 Kinney street, Portsmouth.

Bonnie May Tipton is the name given to the daughter born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Tipton of Buena Vista pike.

George and Clyde Herdman of McGaw were business visitors in Portsmouth Wednesday.

Mrs. John Cunningham of Buena Vista pike near Pond Run, who has been very ill, is improving.

Miss Goldie Cooper of Buena Vista was a recent guest of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Evans of Portsmouth.

Henry Messer of Friendship returned home Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Portsmouth.

Squire Lafayette Young of Buena Vista was a visitor in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Odel of Spencer Run, Buena Vista pike, was a guest of relatives and friends in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Miss Claribelle Dixon, who was a guest of relatives in Portsmouth, returned to her home near McGaw Monday.

Jacob Klein of Buena Vista was a business visitor in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Essenel Wealch of McGaw, who was guest of relatives in Portsmouth, returned home Tuesday.

Milton Lothrop of City View, West Side, visited in Portsmouth Wednesday.

Henry Yost of Buena Vista was a business visitor in Portsmouth Monday.

Miss Jane Elliott of McGaw left for Detroit, Mich., recently with her sister, Mrs. James Garlinger. She will spend several weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Garlinger, her brother, Blanchard Elliott, and sister, Miss Elizabeth Elliott are moving to Nineteenth street, Portsmouth, from their home at McGaw. Miss Elliott will still continue her work at the Home Telephone Exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith of Galena pike, West Side, entertained Sunday her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Odel and baby, Virginia Marie Odel, and her sister, Miss Lennis Beekman of 1542 Tenth street, Portsmouth.

Mrs. James Boyd and baby and her mother, Mrs. Minnie Caulley of the West Side, were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. James Price and family, 1814 Eighth street.

West End News

George Swander of Titusville, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. Anna Sacks of West Third street and Mrs. Lena Shields of 425 Third and other relatives and friends in Portsmouth. Mr. Swander has disposed of his restaurant business at Titusville and is on his way to Olanda, Kansas where he will locate to look after very large oil interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hazelbaker of 214½ Market street returned home Monday from a visit with relatives at Buena Vista.

William Lykens of 345 Second street who is an employe of the Standard Oil company station, corner Third and Market, returned home Tuesday from a ten day's visit at the home of his father-in-law, James Gasaway who resides near Carrs, Ky. Mr. Lykens brings news of the arrival of a son born at the home his wife's parents last Saturday. The baby weighs ten pounds and has been named Billie James Lykens. Mrs. Lykens was dangerously ill but is improving.

Howard Doerr proprietor of lunch room at 218 Market street, has sold his five room cottage 1417 Findlay to Stanley Kendall. Mr. Doerr will rent until spring when he will build a residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Denver Lake of 325 Second street entertained Sunday their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. George Shively of 1507 Kinney street Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spradlin of Pond Creek are spending a week at 525 Third street with their son Archie Spradlin who is in ill health.

O. H. Lewis of 513½ Second street who is an employe of the Dachler Furniture Co., has been ill several days with pneumonia. He is improving but is still confined to his bed.

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Gas and wind in the stomach accompanied by that full, bloated feeling after eating are almost certain evidence of the presence of excessive hydrochloric acid in the stomach, creating so-called "acid indigestion."

Acid stomachs are dangerous because too much acid irritates the delicate lining of the stomach, often leading to gastritis accompanied by serious stomach ulcers. Food ferments and sours, creating the distressing gas which distends the stomach and hampers the normal functions of the vital internal organs, often affecting the heart.

It is the worst of folly to neglect such a serious condition or to treat with ordinary digestive aids which have no neutralizing effect on the stomach acids. Instead get from any druggist a few ounces of Bisurated Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This will drive the gas, wind and bloat right out of the body, sweeten the stomach, neutralize the excess acid and prevent its formation and there is no sourness or pain. Bisurated Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and the best form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.—Advertisement.

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Dolls of all kinds from ..... 10c to $4.50
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Toy Pianos, best grade, ..$1.48 to $9.00
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Drums 48c, $1.19, $1.50
Spelling Blocks, special 19c
Metallophones 48c, $1.25, $1.48
Wood Wheelbarrows, well made 48c and 89c
Wagons, wood and metal ..... $1.48 up
Large size Coaster Wagons, $12 value $9
Rocking Horses, $3 value $2.50
Dogs, Elephants, Cows of Unbreakable Paper Mache, Doll Beds, with Pillows, Mattress at 1-2 price.
Teddy Bears, special prices.
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Men's Linen Handkerchiefs ..35c and 50c
Children's Silk Handkerchiefs 15c

Men's Military Brush Sets ..48c to $3.50
Smoker Stands ..... $2.00 to $7.50
Smoker Trays ..... 48c to $2.75
Shaving Stands ..... $2.50 to $7.50
Shaving Sets ..... $1.00 to $2.50
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32 inch fine Dress Ginghams, new Spring patterns, per yard 25c
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Yard wide Tissues, per yard 55c
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52 inch Wool Storm Serge, per yard $1.00
Yard wide Silk Messalines, black and colors, per yard $1.48
Yard wide Taffeta in checks and stripes, per yard $1.48
All colors Silk Finish Poplins 35c

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Men's, Women's and Children's $1.00 to $6.50
Men's Lisle Socks, black and colors 25c
Men's Silk Hose, black and colors, ..50c
Women's Lisle Hose ..... 18c to $1 pair
Women's Silk Hose ..... $1.00 to $3.00
Women's Wool Heather Hose 65c to $2.48
Children's Hose ..... 10c to 50c pair
Fancy Silk Hair Ribbons, special, per yard ..... 25c and 50c
Fancy Lace Collars ..... 25c to $1.50
Fancy Beads ..... 50c to $1.50
Stationery ..... 25c to 98c box
Leather Purses and Bags ..... 50c to $6.50
Silk and Lace Boudoir Caps 50c
Little Folks' Silk and Leather Purses 39c
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Gloves, Suede and Chamoisette, per pair 25c to $1

58 inch Table Damask, per yard 50c
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Table Damask Cloths, round and scalloped at $1.25
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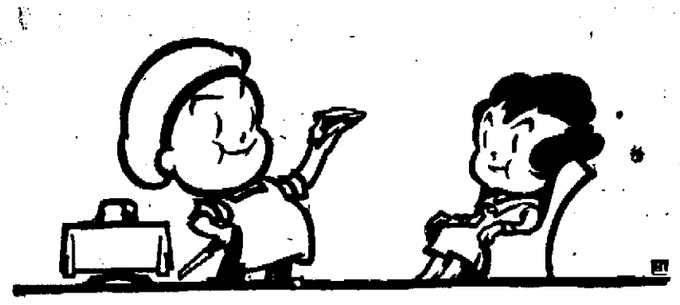

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Holke Makes Great Record

One new fielding record was made in the National League this year, official averages show.

Walter Holke, first baseman of the Boston Braves, achieved a new fielding percentage for National League first sackers by going through the season at a .997 fielding clip. The former record, a percentage of .996, was made by Frank Chance in 1910 and Fred Mollowitz in 1915.

St. Mary's Wins Game

Troop 17 of St. Mary's high school added another win to its list last night by defeating the strong Rosemount Road five in Wilhelmette hall by a score of 53 to 22. The game was fairly evenly matched the first half but the Troop 17 boys had little trouble in running up a big score in the second half.

Curley Lavender, forward on Troop 17, was the shining light of the game making 17 field goals and one foul. Ten of these baskets were made in the final period when Lavender threw goals from all angles. Hurth played a nice game at left forward getting five goals while Robinson at Center on the Rosemounts tallied five times.

In addition to the regular lineup Orlett, Labedz and Schuler broke into the game for Troop 17 and gave a good account of themselves. Montgomery and Krauser were referees. Rosemount substituted C. Yeager and E. Gable.

The lineups were

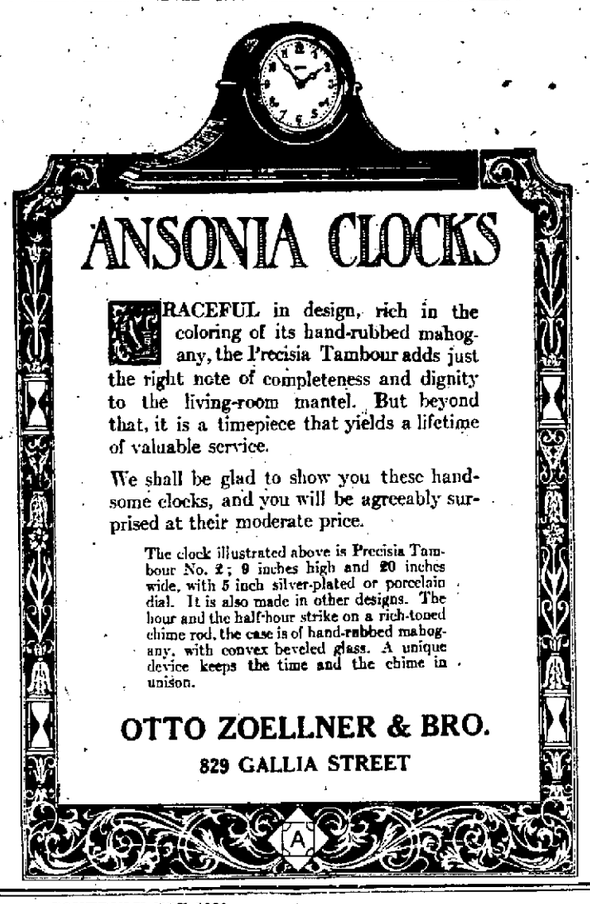
Troop 17		Rosemounts
Hurth	L. F.	Barney
Lavender	R. F.	B. Collins
Haag	C.	Robinson
Streuber	L. G.	Kearns
Krick	R. G.	R. Collins

Field Goals—Lavender 12, Hurth 5, Krick 5, Haag 1, Orlett 1, Labedz 1, Schuler 1, Robinson 5, Barney 3, B. Collins 2.

Foul Goals—Lavender, Barney, Robinson.

McMillin Signs

DANVILLE, KY., December 14.—Bo McMillin, star quarterback on the Centre College football team, accepted an offer to coach Centenary College, Shreveport, La., next season. It was said he is to receive $10,000 a year.



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Wool Sweaters	$3.45
Army Slipovers	$3.95
Army Slipovers with sleeves	$4.95
Heavy rope wool sweaters	$5.95
Pure wool Sweaters	$6.95
Good ribbed Union suits	$1.45
Special grade Union suits	$1.95
Dandy mixture Union suits	$2.45
Wool Union suits	$2.95
Army wool Shirts and Drawers	$1.65
Good Raincoats	$4.95
Special Raincoats	$6.95
Army Raincoats Insured 1 year	$7.45
Moleskin Raincoats	$10.95 – $12.95
Leatherette Raincoats	$10.95 – $12.95
Genuine Leather Reversible Coats	$28.50
Sheepskin Coats	$12.95
Wool Mackinaws	$6.95
Duck work coats waterproof	$3.95
Corduroy Vests	$3.50
Wool cashmere Sox 3 pairs	$1.00
Army wool Sox	40c
Heavy wool Sox, 2 pairs	$1.00
Genuine Army Shirts	$2.45
Genuine O. D. Serge Shirts	$3.95
Officers Dress Shoes	$4.95
Leather Leggins	$4.95
Army Lace Breeches	$4.95
Corduroy Lace Breeches	$4.95

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Centre Will Play Arizona

TUCSON, ARIZ., December 14.—Ten minutes after acceptance last night of an offer from San Diego to meet the football team of Centre College, in the California city on December 26, the University of Arizona football squad was in uniform and running signals on the football field.

The players have had a ten day rest since the close of the regular season and Coach J. F. McKale said that another ten days will put the team in better condition than it was at the close of the season.

Arizona, champion of the southwest, has eight men on the mythical all-southwestern eleven and the other three men were chosen for the second team of the imaginary team.

Miami Five To Start Here

Portsmouth basketball fans will see one of the best college quintets in this section of the country in action next Monday night in the high school gym when Baesman's Selects meet the Miami university five. Miami captured the Ohio conference football title and are now out for the Ohio Conference basketball title.

Miami has a veteran team this year with seven letter men in Coach Little's squad. The letter men considered as first team regular are Heeter and Bob Wright, forwards, Milders and Sem dahl, centers, Wire, G. Essig and Davis, guards. Heeter whose phenomenal shooting has been the talk of the conference for the past two years will captain the team. The team will bristle with football stars. Most of them are seniors playing their last year.

Here "Red" Hopkins of this city, a student at Miami will probably get into the game against the Selects. Hopkins is familiar with the local gym floor and this will be a big asset to the visitors.

Miami will play Cincinnati Gym Dec. 17 and the Selects Dec. 19. The Selects will play the Cincinnati Gym five later.

The Selects will practice hard this week. Two new recruits have been added to the team. They are Ackroyd and Sadeller of the Smoke House football eleven. Both are experienced basketball players and should win regular berths on the Selects five.

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SCHEDULE FOR 1921

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Dec. 14.—The West Virginia University football schedule for 1922 announced today consists of seven games with the probability that three minor contests will be added, two here and the other at Fairmont. The season will open September 30 with West Virginia Wesleyan and will close November 30 with Washington and Jefferson.

The schedule follows:

September 30, West Virginia Wesleyan at Morgantown; October 7, open; October 14, University of Pittsburgh; October 21, Washington and Lee at Charleston; October 28, open; November 4, University of Cincinnati at Cincinnati; November 11, University of Indiana at Blomington; November 18, University of Virginia at Morgantown; November 25, open, and November 30, Washington and Jefferson at Morgantown.

Take your life insurance and endowments from P. W. Kilcoyne.

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Troop 20 Wins

The Troop 20 floor squad won from the Beaver Patrol of Troop One, at the First Presbyterian gym last night. The victory was due to the great work of Figman at forward, who shot five baskets.

Troop 20—Bradford, Kah and Figmen forwards; Simpson center; Multer and Wiget guards.

Beaver Patrol—Tracey and Payne forwards; Bassler center; Smith and Young guards.

Goals: Payne 2, Figmen 5, Simpson 1, and Multer 1.

Foul goals: Payne 3.

HERMAN WINS

BOSTON, December 14.—Pete Herman, New Orleans, former bantamweight champion, won the decision over Abie Friedman, Boston, 10 rounds.

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NOTICE TO THE CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education of the Bloom Twp. school district, Scioto County, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, Thursday, December 19, 1921, for the material and labor necessary to construct and erect a frame school building in Bloom Twp., Scioto County, Ohio, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Devoss & Donaldson, Architects, First National Bank Building, Portsmouth, Ohio. Copies of same are on file at the office of the clerk and the architects. Each bid must contain the name of every person interested therein and shall be submitted on proposal sheets furnished by the architects and shall be accompanied by a surety bond or certified check on some solvent bank for ten per cent of the sum total of the bid as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted the contractor will enter into a contract with said board and furnish a legal bond of fifty per cent of the contract which guarantees the faithful fulfillment of the contract.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or accept any bid which is considered the lowest or best bid.

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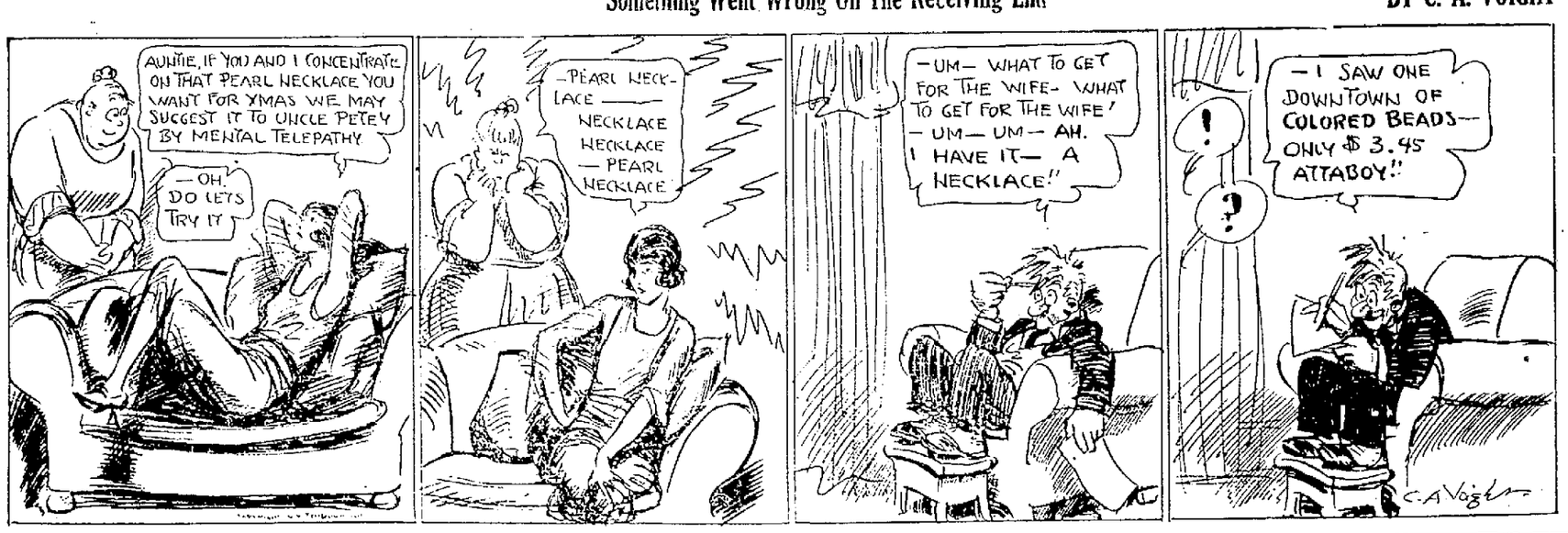
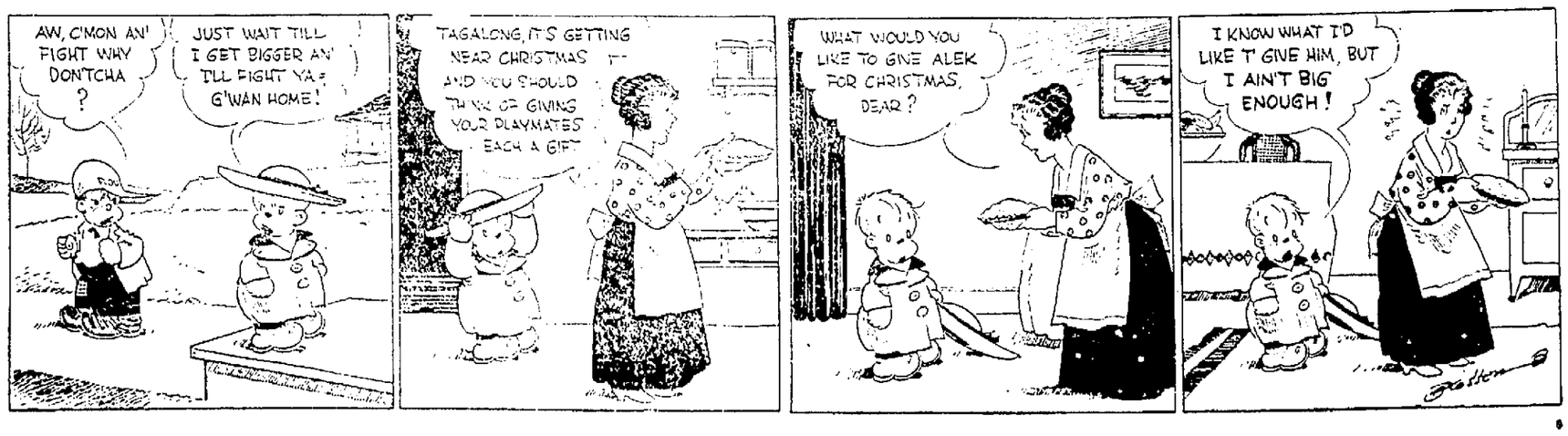
PETEY — Something Went Wrong On The Receiving End — BY C. A. VOIGHT



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — It Wouldn't Cost Him Anything, Either — BY BLOSSER



PLAN TO PASS UP TEAMS OPPOSED TO DRAFT PLAN

NEW YORK, December 14.—Club owners of the two big leagues indicated today before going into annual session that they would approve the suggestion made yesterday before the National League by Charles H. Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn club, prohibiting purchase of players from minor leagues opposed to the draft. Ebbets' proposal apparently has provided each league with good material for convention talk. His resolution was to be voted upon today by the National League magnates and it was expected that the assistance and co-operation asked of the American League on the subject would be forthcoming at the joint meeting of the two leagues on Thursday. Colonels Ruppert and Huston said they were favorably impressed with the idea.

Mr. Ebbets' proposal virtually was a boycott of Class AA and Class A minor baseball leagues. The plan would be to sever the major leagues as a source of income from those minor bodies that refused to submit to the drafting agreement created last January, which still has six years to run.

Mike Sexton, president of the National Association that governs all minor league baseball, favored the return to universal draft throughout organized baseball. He said the draft would be a boon to Class A leagues, declaring that in the last season only five of eighty players sold commanded greater returns than could have been realized through the draft.

Important business before the American League owners included the new contract with Miller Huggins, manager of the Yankees, which Huggins probably will sign today.

K. Of C. League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Caseys	3	0	1.000
Invincibles	5	1	.833
Whistles	3	3	.500
Anchors	1	2	.333
Buckeyes	0	3	.000
Doll Babies	0	3	.000

Games This Week

Dec. 14—Caseys vs. Anchors.
Dec. 15—Doll Babies vs. Buckeyes.

The Invincibles gained a firmer hold on first place by winning two out of three from the Whistles last night. Most of the bowlers fell down below their usual marks, while some showed marked improvement over their last games. Russell rolled the only real score of the match, when he surpassed two good games by rolling 218 in the third, and finished with the high total of 550.

Invincibles

O. Mantle	159	122	97	378
Bartuss	102	121	135	358
Haag	132	114	133	379
Balmert	139	113	117	369
Russell	185	147	218	550
Totals	717	617	700	2034

Whistles

Dudosky	111	156	151	418
Berkstell	89	129	110	328
Reinhardt	121	94	121	336
Barchy	111	133	91	335
Seibers	108	127	130	365
Totals	540	639	603	1782

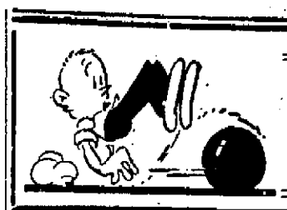
Chillicothe Beaten

The Washington C. H. basketball team romped over the C. A. C. team in Chillicothe Monday night, the score being 30 to 18. In the first half Chillicothe did not score a point.

Up To Smith

BERKLEY, CAL., Dec. 14—Whether the University of California will accept an invitation to play the Harvard football eleven at Cambridge October 28, 1922, will not be decided until the return here within a few days of Coach Andy Smith, now en route from the east, it was announced today by Luther A. Nichols, California graduate manager.

Nichols said California first desired to know what games Smith has already arranged with middlewestern colleges for next season, before other negotiations are considered.



SELBY LEAGUE

CLASS A LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Pen Pushers	6	0	1.000
Tackers	3	0	1.000
Messengers	5	1	.833
Wreckers	2	1	.667
Stabbers	2	1	.667
Leather Grippers	1	2	.333
Slicers	1	2	.333
Rounders	1	5	.167
Ringers	0	3	.000
Heel Builders	0	6	.000

The Pen Pushers are setting a hot pace for the second half of the season, adding three more to their string when they met the Rounders last night. Davis made the only good score of the evening, finishing with a total of 470.

Pen Pushers

Davis	142	160	159	470
Burkel	144	161	138	443
Baker	135	144	88	367
Barber	119	143	162	424
Fisher	163	139	102	404
Totals	703	750	649	2108

Rounders

P. Hobstetter	165	139	125	429
Miller	113	...	...	113
Lenhart	137	127	106	370
Gond	132	181	134	447
G. Hobstetter	140	123	137	400
Pittinger	...	130	131	261
Totals	687	700	633	2020

GIRLS LEAGUE

The Spiders won the first game by a small margin when they met the Superiors last night, but were not equal to the task of taking the others. Miss Devers was the only one who could pass the three hundred mark. Her total was 352.

Superiors

Dunn	84	101	90	275
Cox	67	83	101	251
Devers	119	128	105	352
Pancake	67	88	77	232
Sodaro	101	95	103	299
Totals	438	495	476	1409

Spiders

Fields	96	95	98	289
Atkinson	106	59	94	259
Long	94	79	51	224
Dearford	78	60	82	220
Blind	70	70	70	210
Totals	444	363	395	1202

Masonic Bowling League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Spartans	19	11	.633
Tinkers	16	11	.593
Nuggets	16	11	.593
Brummels	17	13	.567
Mutuals	17	13	.567
Keystones	15	12	.556
Imperials	16	14	.533
Patrols	13	17	.433
Steelmen	11	16	.407
Okehs	12	18	.400
Lafayettes	11	19	.367
Regulars	11	19	.367

Games Next Week

Monday—Keystones vs. Regulars, on 4 and 5; Patrols vs. Tinkers, on 2 and 3.

Tuesday—Mutuals vs. Nuggets, on 2 and 3; Okehs vs. Steelmen, on 4 and 5.

Wednesday—Brummels vs. Imperials, on 4 and 4; Spartans vs. Lafayettes, on 2 and 3.

The Spartans after winning the first two from the Imperials, lost the last one by two pins. It was a heart breaker for them, but they are still in first place, forty points ahead of their nearest rival. Malter of the Imperials was high with 535, and Leach of the Spartans, led his five with 505.

Spartans

Zollmann	143	186	154	483
Baughman	167	179	142	488
Cookes	107	165	149	421
Staten	157	161	173	491
Leach	164	180	161	505
Totals	738	871	779	2388

Imperials

York	114	145	154	413
Chilton	122	165	174	461
Malter	169	169	197	535
Whitlatch	143	216	138	497
Heisel	151	150	118	419
Totals	699	845	781	2325

The Patrols found the Okehs easy picking last night, and with little extra effort, they added all three games to the right side of the percentage column. Reinhardt of the losers rolled high score, getting 510, while Keyes reversed the last two figures, getting 501.

Patrols

Smith	150	143	150	443
Cox	152	159	143	454
Schuyler	150	181	135	466
Uhl	142	162	164	468
Keyes	148	182	171	501
Totals	742	827	763	2332

Okehs

Johnson	147	186	164	497
Coe	93	115	152	360
Blind	125	125	125	375
Ogier	189	142	131	472
Reihardt	188	200	172	510
Totals	692	768	744	2204

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Masons	16	8	.667
North End	15	9	.625
Invincibles	16	11	.593
Play House	12	12	.500
Scratchers	13	14	.481
Pennant	11	13	.458
Crystal Palace	12	15	.444
Selects	7	20	.259

Games This Week

Friday, Dec. 10—Masons vs. Play House, alleys 2 and 3; Pennant vs. North End, alleys 4 and 5.

Scratchers

Williams	162	164	175	501
Revare	158	147	139	444
Davidson	146	136	174	456
Johnson	159	181	146	486
Faught	183	143	172	498
Totals	808	771	806	2385

Crystal Palace

Benjamin	148	140	155	443
Lewis	142	178	117	437
Doll	207	137	139	483
Aldridge	157	116	149	422
Predliger	170	163	233	566
Totals	824	734	793	2351

Invincibles

Daugherty	174	146	151	471
Hohlen	145	135	147	427
Elsnangle	182	182	149	513
Frazier	159	169	162	490
Doughty	157	149	164	470
Totals	817	781	773	2371

Selects

A. Ross	129	201	123	453
Pollard	129	130	143	402
L. Ross	148	180	149	477
Crum	115	202	143	460
Powell	119	143	159	421
Totals	640	856	717	2213

VOLLEY BALL

BUCKEYE LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Tims	22	11	.667
Strollers	23	13	.639
Cleaners	19	17	.528
Burroughs	19	17	.528
Monroe Six	14	16	.467
Underwoods	16	20	.444
N. and W.	14	22	.389
Seventy-Six	8	19	.296

Games This Week

Wednesday, Dec. 14—Underwoods vs. Tims.

Thursday, Dec. 15—Strollers vs. Seventy Six.

Friday, Dec. 16—Cleaners vs. N. & W. at 6:30; Burroughs vs. Tims.

Saturday, Dec. 17—Monroe Six vs. Tims at 3 p. m.; Seventy Six vs. Burroughs at 4 p. m.; Strollers vs. Underwoods at 5 p. m.

The N. and W. sprung a decided surprise when they took two out of three from the fast traveling Burroughs. All three were hot games, especially the first. The Burroughs lead most of the first game, but the N. and W. came up from behind and the score went to 20-20. Capt. Korns and Strickland—who played famous ball throughout—got behind their team hard, and succeeded in putting over the 21st point.

The N. and W. grabbed the next 21-10. The deciding game was most hotly contested, but went to the N. and W 21-15.

The N. and W. had two new players in their lineup, both of whom played fine ball, Gerding especially, who was undoubtedly the star of his side.

N. and W.: Arthur Oakes captain, Gerding, Gerken, Sowers, Neudoerfer, Williams.

Burroughs: Korns cautain, Hyland, Strickland, Eynon, Wells, Kearns.

PORTSMOUTH LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
High School Faculty	39	6	.867
Bankers	30	15	.667
First Presbyterian	27	12	.692
Trinity Cubs	31	20	.608
Christian Colts	26	22	.542
United Brethren	14	31	.311
Ministers	13	32	.289
Court House	12	33	.267

Games This Week

Wednesday, Dec. 14—High School Faculty vs. Bankers at high school, umpire Dressler.

Thursday, Dec. 15—Coutr House vs. United Brethren at high school, umpire Robert McNamara; Ministers vs. Trinity Cubs at Moose hall, umpire Ralph Baugher.

Friday, Dec. 16—First Presbyterian vs. Christian Colts at high school, umpire Albert Uhl.

There were three good and lively games at the high school, last night, when the Trinity Cubs played the Christian Colts for a berth in the first division. The Cubs got it, getting the odd game, by the scores of 21-16, 21-9, 11-21, but that didn't prevent both sides from mightily enjoying the evening. All the members of both teams played fine ball, no one could hardly have been said to have starred more than another. It was good all around team play on both sides, and a pretty game to witness.

Christian Colts: Chester Kerr captain, Jas. Fligor, R. Atkins, Orville Morris, B. Russell, W. Lavinder.

Trinity Cubs: Dr. Rapp captain, Irvin Ross, Dr. Gilbert Micklethwaite, J. H. Finney, Y. Finney, Dr. Wikoff.

The United Brethren team, with six players in the game, lost three games to the First Presbyterian team of three and four players. The U. B. players were a little over-confident, knowing the First Presbyterians only had two players to start with. Later two more players were added and with Butler at the net to kill the ball the First Presbyterian team came through with colors flying. The U. B. team was minus Captain Marion Prosch also and the players did not perform in their usual style. The first two games were lop-sided victories, while in the third the U. B.'s made a total of 12 points.

The lineups:

United Brethren—Reinhardt, Weinberg, Schusky, Southworth, Smith and Gordley.

First Presbyterian—Hopkins, Butler, Brodbeck and Jones.

PEERLESS LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Selby Culls	36	15	.706
Christian Vets	29	19	.604
Phi Psi	27	21	.563
Selects	26	22	.542
Bigelow	25	26	.490
Selby Vets	27	29	.480
Selby Leaders	23	34	.404
Trinity Vets	13	35	.271

Games This Week

Wednesday, Dec. 14—Selby Culls vs. Christian Vets, umpire Russell Egbert.

Thursday, Dec. 15—Selects vs. Phi Psi, umpire James Frazier.

Friday, Dec. 16—Selby Vets vs. Selects, umpire Lloyd Craden; Bigelow vs. Selby Culls at Moose hall, umpire H. C. Stevenson.

Saturday, Dec. 17—Phi Psi vs. Trinity Vets at 2 p. m.; Christian Vets vs. Selby Leaders at 4 p. m.

The Selby Vets had three game defaulted to them by the Trinity Vets.

Hanley And Johnson Praised By Scribe

In commenting upon the Ironton-Wellston game Sunday the Irontonian said:

The Tanks as well as the visitors, played in machine style, each man doing and acting his part up to the highest standard. Johnson, the big halfback, formerly of Ohio State was the outstanding weature for the Wellston lads while Chick at fullback and Hanley on the other half also showed up well on the offense.

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Here Is How The Redlegs Fielded

Here is how the Redlegs fielded last year according to the official averages:

Player—Position	P.O.	A.	E.	Pct.
Fonseca, 1b	150	6	1	994
Daubert, 1b	1290	78	10	993
Paskert, of	60	2	1	984
Marquard, p	7	51	1	983
Rixey, p	4	97	2	981
Roush, of	286	9	6	980
Coumbe, p	5	35	1	976
Bohne, 2b	256	327	16	973
Hargrave, c	270	50	9	973
Duncan, of	349	19	11	971
Brenton, p	4	25	1	967
Fonseca, 2b	125	149	11	961
Napier, p	4	20	1	960
Wingo, c	318	101	18	959
Donohue, p	4	41	2	957
See, of	58	4	3	954
Crane, ss	129	173	15	953
Bressler, of	155	6	8	953
Luque, p	21	76	5	951
Grob, 3b	97	188	15	950
Neale, of	144	7	8	950
Kopf, ss	195	301	28	947
Bohne, 3b	57	123	10	947
Fonseca, of	32	0	2	941

Passed Balls—Hargrave 6, Wingo 7.

Rath Retires

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14—Morris Rath, second baseman of the San Francisco club of the Pacific Coast league, retired from baseball today. He was a member of the Cincinnati Reds in 1919, when they won the National league pennant.

Huggins Signs

Miller Huggins has signed to manage the Yankees for this season. He declined to sign a two year contract as he may wish to leave New York at the end of this season.

Figures Show How Reds Have Declined

Figures tell a good deal of the story of the decline of the Reds from pennant winners in 1919 to sixth place in 1921.

In team batting percentage the Reds have improved yearly, but not in keeping with the improvement made by other teams. In 1919 they hit for a team average of .263 which made them second among the National League clubs in batting percentages.

In 1920 an average of .277 landed them third and this year their average of .278 brought them in last as a batting club.

The team fielding percentage of the Reds the last three years has been .974 in 1919, .968 in 1920 and .969 in 1921.

In 1919 there were 808 Reds left on base. This number was increased to 984 in 1920 and to 997 in 1921. Still in 1921 the Reds had feged men left on base than any other club in the league.

This probably was due to the fact that the Reds this year put fewer men on base to start with than any other team in the league because every club except Philadelphia scored more runs than the Reds, and the Phillies were only one run behind Moran's men.

Drubbing Is Right

The Irontonian Tuesday said:

The Ironton Wildcats were taken into camp at Portsmouth Sunday by the Juniors of that city. The score at the final whistle stood 41 to 0 in favor of the River City squad which showed a decided improvement since their first meeting with the Wildcats. The local squad was completely outclassed by the down river team and have no alibis to offer as the Portsmouth team had strengthened its personnel and handed out a drubbing to the South Side boys.

A man's brain attains its maximum weight at the age of 20.

Sporting Glimpses

Georges is coming back in February. Must have his profile all fixed up.

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What has our football hero got?
Why, he's got two good feet!
But out in the cold, cold world he can't
Kick in enough to eat.

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"Kansas City Baseball Club Buys a Pitcher." Oh, by all means, they ought to have a pitcher.

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"William Tilden II wins Ping-Pong Title." Why, Bill, you old rascal, you!

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He was a golf professional.
Teaching at Hampton Hall.
He taught them to follow through
And "keep the eye on the ball."
He stepped in to a bowling house,
To see the ninepins fall.
But you can bet your life he failed
To "keep HIS eye on the ball."

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"Pennsylvania Tank Team Meets." Swe-e-e-t Ade-o-o-o-li-i-ne.

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D'ja ever notice how hard it is for some of these orchestra directors to keep in time with their orchestras?

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I was speeding along at twenty miles,
In fact that's all my power,
But I got pinched and went to jail
At ninety miles an hour.

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It doesn't look as if these exhibition matches that Schaefer and Conti are playing are doing Conti any good.

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Glenn Killenger, of Penn State, wore the same necktie all during the football season. His luck will change Dec. 25th.

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John McGraw is back in town,
All ready to relax:
Someone else is gonna pay
His excess profit tax.

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At first Dallas University offered Bo McMillin $7,000 a year to coach and now they have made a new offer of $35,000 for five years. Maybe they think Centre doesn't have 'rithmetic.

SPORTLETS

Brooklyn baseball team will train at Jacksonville, Fla.

John McGraw has ordered Frank Frisch to quit playing basketball.

Forest Cady, formerly of the Red Sox, will catch for Shreveport next season.

John Layporte, Wooster, named captain of next year's Wooster University football team.

Reese Rickards, elected captain of Oberlin's football team for next year, was captain of the Williams College team three years ago.

The benefit dance given for the Tanks in Ironton was a big success. It netted $2.14.

The Tanks will elect their referee as their next year's captain. They have the only eleven in the country that plays 12 men as it were.

Ironton fans know where Wellston is located. Oh my, yes.

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WORTHY OF ITS HIRE

POSTMASTER General Hays, in his annual report, shows the receipts of the postoffice department for the year ending on June 30th last were $463,000,000, excluding the odd thousands. Fabulous as this sum would once have been considered and large as it actually is, yet it is $157,000,000 less than the expenses of the department for the same period, with all the bills not yet in.

General Hays suggests the postoffice service should not be operated at a profit, but he thinks neither should it be operated with a tremendous deficit annually. He recommends that to increase the revenues a charge be made on a letter improperly directed and directory service given it, a charge on return receipts for registrations, restriction of special delivery service to first class mail, providing for payment by the advertiser on postage on replies to advertisements.

Since coming to the head of the postal service General Hays has manifested great activity and a refreshing frankness. It is to be regretted, therefore, that only intimates that other, or increased charges may have to be made to take up an ever increasing deficiency. He is aware that the new charges he offers will not stop the waste, or loss at the spigot, to say nothing of that at the bunghole.

There is just one way to make the postoffice pay expenses, and that is to raise the rates on first class matter and periodicals. This may not be a popular way, but it is the right one. It may be questioned that it will prove unpopular, except with magazines and metropolitan papers, not forgetting congressmen, who will consider themselves first and not what is just. There was no general outcry, when we had three-cent postage for a period during the war and though some publications went out for the scalp of Postmaster General Burleson, for zone rating periodicals, which was really the scheme of Charles Hughes, now secretary of state, that charge was only a measure of fairness. It is absurd that the government should charge periodicals less than its service to them is worth, it is a crime that, in some instances, amounting collectively to an immense aggregate, it should charge them nothing for a service that is a necessity to them.

The postoffice renders service to everybody, it should charge everybody alike, on the basis of what the service costs—not with an eye to profit but with a thought single for justice and no favoritism.

"JUST LIKE THE IRISH"

ENEMIES of Ireland and those prejudiced against her people are fond of most continuously and offensively asserting that the Irish are unfit for self government because they can never agree among themselves with anything like a common purpose.

Just now, that there is up for adoption or rejection an agreement that makes Ireland free to all practical purposes, they are louder than ever in the same worn out assertion. And not without some apparent justification because the Irish leaders have fallen violently apart in their views over the agreement and there is no concert of opinion among them one way or the other.

This is unfortunate, not because it will make any material difference in the immediate fortunes of Ireland, because the treaty, if it may be so called, will be adopted by the real representatives of the best sentiment of the country and Ireland will again become a nation in fact, but unfortunately because it gives the wonderful Isle's enemies color to speak ill of her.

One of the ludicrous incidents of the situation is the caution issued from various quarters, official and otherwise, that there be no discussion of the subject among the friends of Irish freedom until the Dail Eireann—the Irish parliament—meets this Wednesday to consider the compact, signed by its duly deputed representatives. It would be just as well to toss a handful of roses into Vesuvius and command it to be still. An Irishman has opinions and there is neither brake of prudence or cowardice in expressing them. And why should he not speak now in this supreme moment when his native land may be set in a new course, or be continued indefinitely in her wrongs and misfortunes. It is certainly worth while for men to discuss whether they will take much, or by enduring longer what has been the crime of centuries gain all. It is a point where wise and brave men may well diverge from one another.

In this connection, it is pleasant to observe that the bishops, who know best what is Irish sentiment, have not kept silent and give the lie to the claim that there is no unanimity among the Irish. They know their people and as one voice they urge the acceptance of the agreement.

Out of the mouths of babes comes wisdom and also humor the rarest. Sunday, Father McGuirk was discoursing to the catechism class on the nativity. He told of the singing of the angels, the adoring shepherds, the offerings of the Wisemen and the beasting breathing on the Infant Jesus. "Now tell me," he said, "what would you have done had you been there?" Profound silence for a moment, then the tiniest tot raised her hand. "All right, tell me." "Please, Father, I would have taken up a collection."

Word from Washington is that the senate will be given full chance to express itself on the quadruple alliance. Bah, it will be given full pressure to ratify the action of the administration.

Steal March On Friends; Married In Columbus

Stealing a march on their friends, Peter Wilander, superintendent of the blast furnace at the steel plant, and Miss Fannie Zull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Zull, 1625 Offnere street, were married in the Broad Street Presbyterian church at Columbus at noon Monday. Rev. S. E. Palmer, pastor of the church officiated, using the single ring ceremony.

The couple met in Columbus Sunday night by appointment, the bride coming from New York City where she had been appearing in "Odds and Ends" at one of the leading theatres and the groom motoring up from this city. The happy couple were showered with congratulations on their arrival here Tuesday night when the parents of the bride entertained with a dinner party in honor of the newlyweds.

New York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, December 14.—Battery Park at night is another world. Wall Street canyons lie northward black and empty. Lower Broadway is enveloped in the hush of death. High in sky-brushing buildings lights gleam in roof top bungalows of millionaires, dreaming new conquests.

The frothy water breaking gently against piers and sea walls gives forth a switching, magic lullabye and out in the harbor ghostly sails and masts loom stark. Strange figures come and go. A boatman with his dim lantern. A hooded figure pacing up and down and peering out as if waiting for some message from the deep.

Rotting driftwood, phosphorescent in the moon rays, touches shore and darts out again for other worlds. Scattered about on the benches are old mariners, brown and wise, unable to resist the lure, living over again days when the wind was upon their lips.

From the seamen's boarding houses on the water-front others come late in groups—eaters of raw meat with hair on their chest—breaking stillness with ribald songs of cabin lights, typhoons and faithless lovers. They cannot bunk without a final look at the sea.

Now and then snatches of jazz music from Coney Island side wheelers. Tramp steamers at times lift anchor and vanish in puffs of flaccid grey smoke. Bell buoys boom their doleful warnings and red, green and white lights flicker like fire-flies on nearby shores.

Nothing is so mysterious as the sea at night. Men, caught in its spell, sometimes bare their souls. One toothless, bony fingered, tattered old man sat beside me breathing in the wonder of the night.

A derelict in life's sea. After an hour's silence he turned "I'm thinking," he said "of a poem I read only yesterday." And he quoted:

The lapping of lake water
Is like the weeping of women,
The fertile tears of women
That waters the dreams of men.

Sir James Barrie is soon to reinforce the procession of oversea authors who have been visiting "the States," Ibenez, Maeterlinck, Chesteron, Squire, Wells—and then perhaps the most popular of all, shy and shrinking Barrie. Those who know Barrie from visits in London say that when he arrives and really gets acquainted they will find a different person. He enjoys a small dinner and all his inhibitions and dignity vanish—and if it is a stag affair he becomes a court jester almost and as fond of atrocious puns as Charles Lamb. But he must get acquainted first.

Cigar stores at Forty-Second street and Fifth Avenue face a business problem. At 5 o'clock their stores are crowded with those who want to use the telephone and shoppers cannot get in to buy. Yet without telephones they claim they would lose a large volume of business.

Arch Selwyn met Reinold Wolf on Broadway the other day. "Say," said Selwyn, "your'e not giving me any publicity in your column in the Morning Telegraph like you used to do."

"Well," came the answer, "you haven't given me any news from yourself."

"It happens that there hasn't been much. But "suggested Selwyn" just rumor me."

George M. Cohan calls everybody "Kid." It is reported that when he met Shaw in London on his recent visit, he said: "Well, Kid, how goes every little thing." And Shaw liked it too. He had frequent luncheons with the comedian.

DOC KOKO'S KOLUM

Not His Job

"I'm not supposed to do that," said he,
When an extra task he chanced to see.
"That's not my job, and it's not my care,
So I'll pass it by and leave it there."
And the boss who gave him his weekly pay
Lost more than his wages on him that day.

"I'm not supposed to do that," he said.
"That duty belongs to Jim or Fred."
So a little task that was in his way
That he could have handled without delay
Was left unfinished; the day was paved
For a heavy loss that he could have saved.

And time went on and he kept his place
But he never altered his easy pace,
And folk remarked on how well he knew
The line of tasks he was hired to do.
For never once was he known to turn
His hand to things not of his concern.

But there in his foolish rut he stayed
And for all he did he was fairly paid,
But he never was worth a dollar more
Than he got for his toil when the week was o'er.
For he knew too well when his work was through,
And he'd done all he was hired to do.

If you want to grow in this world, young man,
You must do every day all the work you can.
If you find a task, though it's not your bit,
And it should be done, take care of it:
And you'll never conquer or rise if you
Do only the things you're supposed to do.

Force of Habit

Mechanical dolls are made that cry very naturally. One was purchased by a Boston mother, and hidden in a drawer to await a chance for a birthday surprise. At midnight the spring got loose, and the result was that the father had arisen, lighted the gas-stove and prepared the feeding bottle before he discovered that it was a false alarm.

HOW TO START THE DAY WRONG — BY BRIGGS

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The Reason

Mr. Staylate—"I have never seen such dreamy eyes as yours."

Miss Frank—"Perhaps you've never stayed so late before."

The Cause

"Oh, doctor, can't you cure me?"

"I'm afraid not, madam. Every time I present you with my bill you immediately fall ill again."

Mere Incident

There was a commotion in one of the New York east side movie palaces a little while ago. People down front got frightened and rose to push their way out, but the excitement subsided when an usher announced: "It's all right. There's nothing wrong—only a gentleman hit a lady."—Topics of the Day Films.

Very Different

Mrs. Kawler—"I understand one can learn different languages from the phonograph."

Mrs. Wiggs—"Well, since our neighbors got theirs, I know my husband has used language I never heard him use before."

Too Warm for Him

"What made Blowso leave this part of the country?"

"The changeable climate didn't agree with him."

"Did his health fail?"

"No; his health was all right. But, you know, he prided himself on being a weather prophet."

There Was a Reason

"Why do you turn out for every road hog that comes along" said the missus, rather crossly. "The right of way is ours, isn't it?"

"Oh, undoubtedly!" answered he calmly. "As for our turning out, the reason is plainly suggested in this epitaph which appeared in a newspaper recently:

"'Here lies the body of William Jay,
Who died maintaining his right-of-way;
He was right, dead right, as he sped along,
But he's just as dead as if he'd been wrong.'"

Kid Rivalry

"How old is your baby brother?" asked little Tommy of a playmate. "One year old," replied Johnny. "Huh!" exclaimed Tommy, "I've got a dog a year old, and he can walk twice as well as that kid can." "Well, he ought to," replied Johnny, "he's got twice as many legs."

IF YOU ARE WELL BRED

You will always issue dinner invitations a fortnight in advance.

You will serve a formal dinner at 7, 7:30 or 8 p. m.

You will arrange courses at a dinner so that the eating will not occupy more than two hours.

You will never allow at a dinner music that makes conversation impossible or forces diners to speak in an unusually loud voice.

A Lucky Fire

He watched his $3,000 house go up in flames.

"This," he exclaimed, "is what I call a really satisfactory house-warming."

For it so happened that he had succeeded in insuring it for $4,000 only two days before.

The Bad Smart Boy

"I didn't see you at school last Sabbath," said the good man.

"Didn't you?" replied little Johnny. "Well, you needn't think you're so blamed smart on that account. There was a whole lot more people didn't see me there, either."

6 PER CENT TWICE A YEAR FOR 29 YEARS DON'T TAKE LESS

Free Of Income Tax

The present Congress, in order to encourage a larger deposit of savings in institutions that use them exclusively in home financing, has removed the income tax on such deposits in Building and Loan Associations meeting certain requirements.

Our Association comes within the provisions of this act, and your savings with us, up to $5,000 are free of the income tax.

Let us explain this feature to you.

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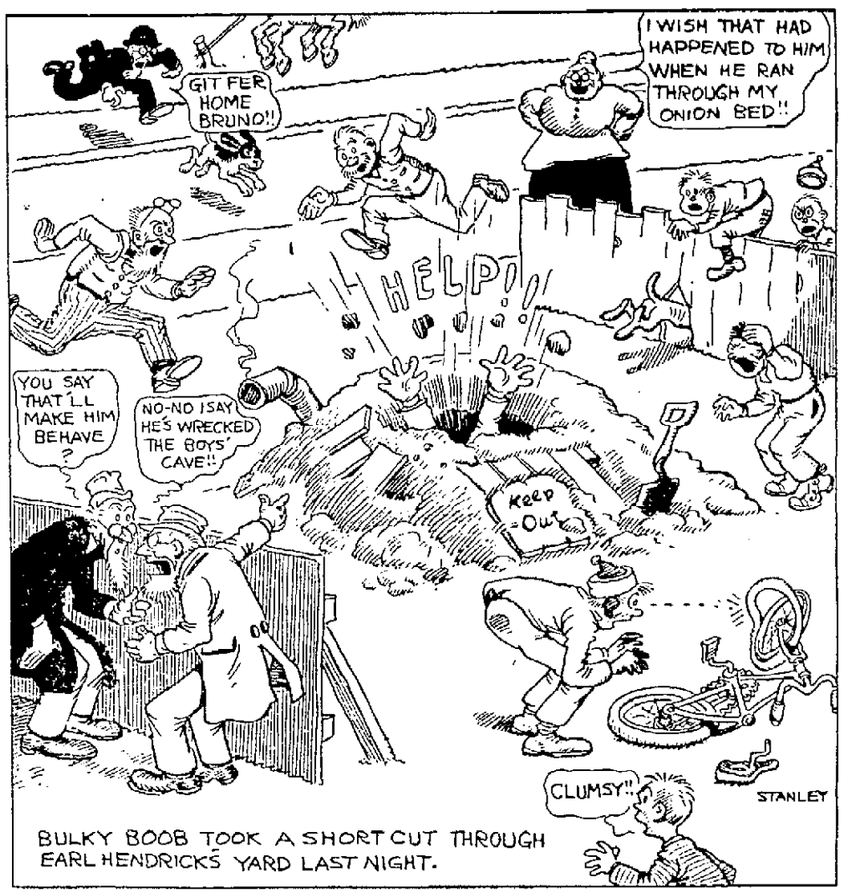
THE OLD HOME TOWN — BY STANLEY



BULKY BOOB TOOK A SHORT CUT THROUGH EARL HENDRICKS' YARD LAST NIGHT.

Abe Martin

Our Commercial Club met last night t' take steps t' have a fillin' station o' beautiful low Moorish architecture built here. "Oh, I never know when I'll be at home," said Mrs. Tipton Bud, t'day, when an Emporium clerk offered t' send out a beautiful fur wrap on approval.

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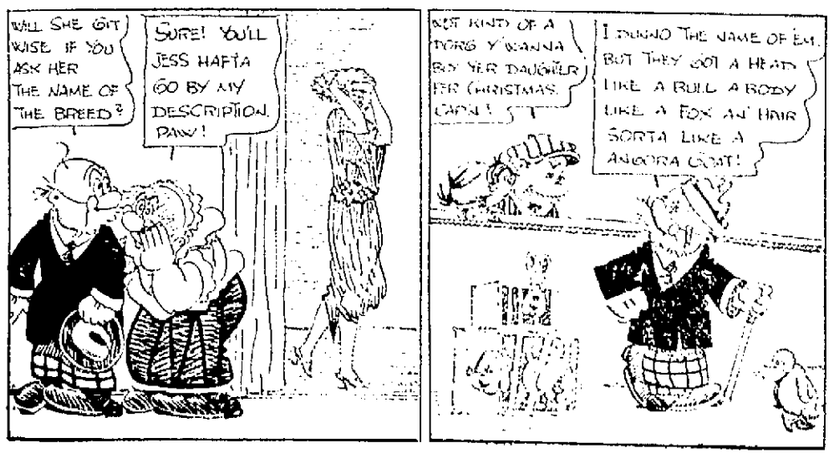
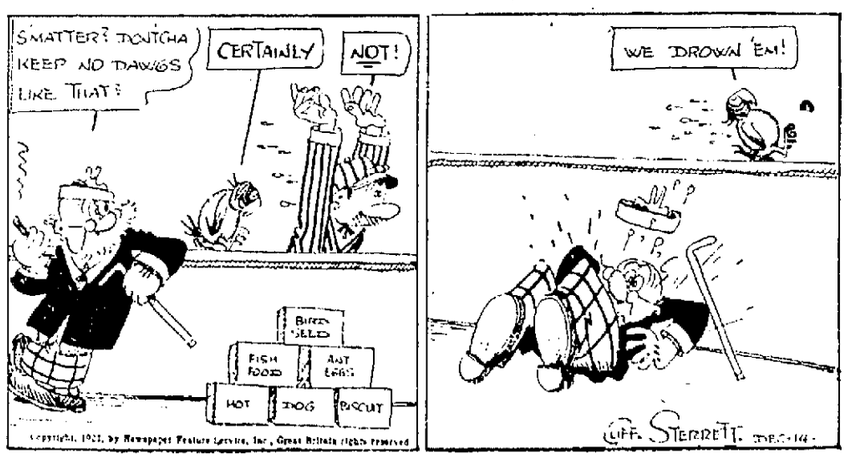
POLLY AND HER PALS



Pa Should Call Up The Zoo — BY CLIFF STERRETT



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